SPORTS

Local race series features hundreds of cyclists



The Hanson Hills Challenge a series of bicycle races coordinated by Fun Promotions LLC and hosted by Grayling Recreation Authority (GRA) at Hanson Hills on Sunday, June 6 featured hundreds of cyclists competing in a variety of divi-

The races featured an 11mile course that Justin Andre, Director of Operations for GRA, described as "single track (and) hilly," with "a little bit of everything."

classes did three laps, the "sport" class did two, and "beginner" one.

The "elite" and "expert"

Temperatures for the day's races were high. Pg. 18

Runners compete in 5-mile race at Hanson Hills



Approximately 30 runners competed in Grayling Recreation Authority's (GRA) annual Hanson Hills Challenge Trail Run -- a five-mile race -- at Hanson Hills Recreation Area

on Saturday, June 4. Twenty-seven runners finished the race. Justin Andre, Director of Operations for GRA, said this year's turnout was "about normal" but the group consisted of more unfa-

miliar competitors than usual. "Right around 30 people, that's average," Andre said. "A lot of new faces in this race, about 90 percent new people, which is odd, but it's good. We're drawing people from all over the state." Pg. 17

Grayling Little League: junior team wins 9-8



Grayling Little League's junior league (ages 13-14) baseball team edged Roscommon 9-8 in extra innings on Thursday, improving the squad's overall record to 7-2. The contest was played at Grayling High School's baseball

Grayling led 1-0 at the end of the first inning, scoring its one run on a solo homer by

Michael Branch. Neither squad scored a run

in the second inning. Roscommon reached base on an error and scored on a passed ball, tying the contest at 1-1 in the top of the third. Pg: 16

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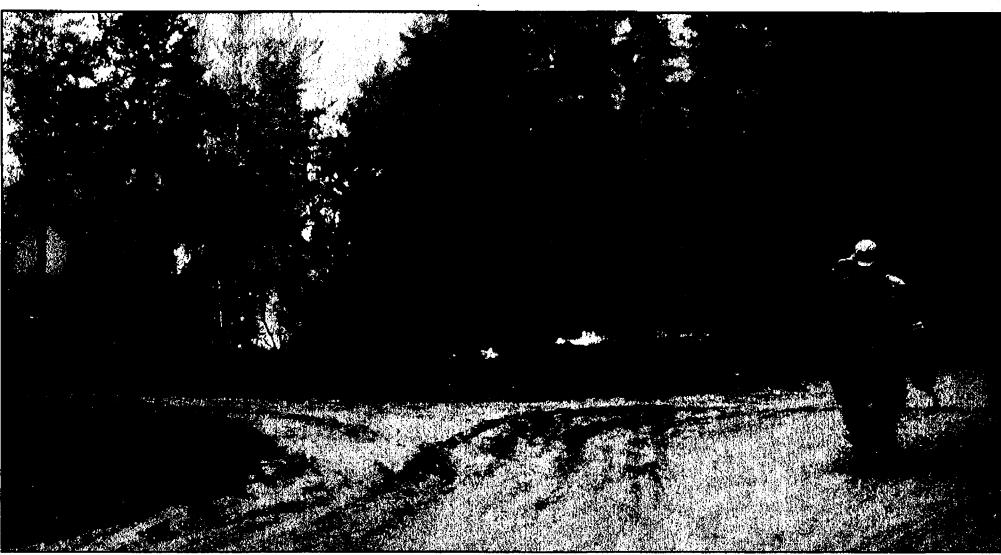


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Thursday, June 16, 2011



Above, a firefighter walks away from the spreading fire after setting a fire line to curtail the spread of the blaze.

Firefighters save homes, curtail spread of Howes Lake wildfire

by Dan Sanderson Staff Writer

A wildfire started and extinguished by Mother Nature, with the intervention of dozens of brave area firefighters praised and held in the hearts of many homeowners, destroyed 817 acres of land last week.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Fire Investigation Unit determined that the Howes Lake Fire started when lightning struck a Jack Pine tree on Monday, June 6. The lightning

swept through the region.

across," said Larry Akers, the emer- Akers said. gency management/911 director for The Crawford County Emergency Crawford County of the thunderstorm. "After lightning hit the tree, it just smoldered until winds picked up Tuesday."

The fire destroyed 817 acres of land, three out buildings and five homes had siding damage. The damage occurred on state, military and privately owned land.

The fire was reported by a cellular

occurred when a two-minute storm phone caller who witnessed a huge column of smoke near North Howes "It pretty much came straight Lakes Road at 1:25 p.m. Tuesday,

> Management Department issued an evacuation order for residents living off of Manistee River Road or any side roads between M-72 West and

> County Road 612. Crawford AuSable School District students in the effected area returned to Grayling Elementary School by busses.

Debra Jones, director of Camp

Shawano, a juvenile detention facility located off of Jones Lake Road, said staff readied to move those housed there to Camp Grayling. While the contingency plan was in place, Jones said the staff did not evacuate from the center.

"It looked closer than it actually was, which was the good news," Jones said. "We were prepared and had things in place and were ready to go if needed, but it missed us by a good distance. We had a great staff on hand and everybody stayed

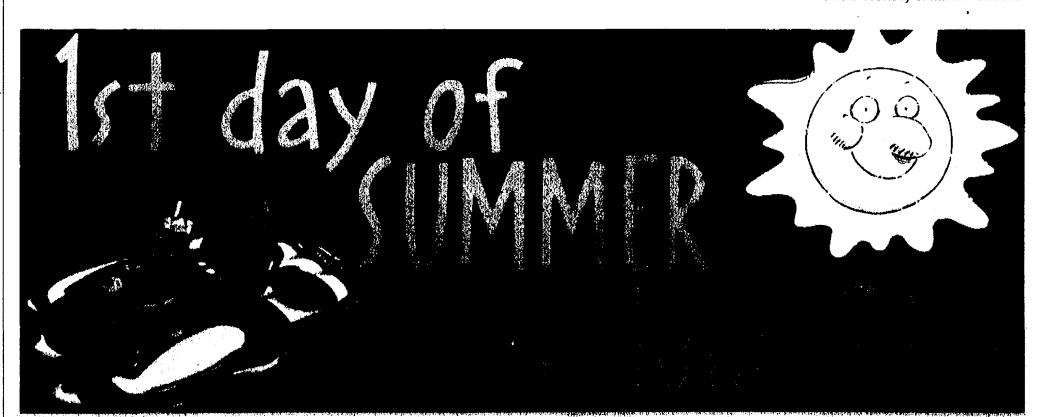
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Nawn basks in sun by Lake Wargrethe

A doe left this fawn to lay in the sun on Thursday, June 2, on property owned by Martha Gauthier, who lives on Lake Margrethe Boulevard. Above, the fawn is pictured in the vegetation by a huge tree.

Photo courtesy of Martha Gauthier





Mixing up bread at Grayling Farmers Market



Shirley Tracey, the owner of Shirley's Cafe located on M-72 West between Grayling and Kalkaska, shared tips on making bread at the City Grayling's Farmers Market last Thursday. The debut demonstration for the Farmers Market was held in the Nature Center, where Tracey made bread and served hot rolls right from the oven to people who attended the educational Above, Tracey class. removes bread dough from the hook of her KitchenAid mixer.

Photo by Dan Sanderson



Men Who Cook provides many smiles, fills bellies

After 11 years, the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce's Men Who Cook is still going strong thanks to the overwhelming support of the Grayling community.

This year's event, held on June 2 at Camp Grayling's Officers Club, saw a crowd of over 125 enjoy the warm summer breeze and wonderful array of food provided by some of Grayling's finest.

Ten chefs came forward to present a fantastic display of food ranging from chicken strips prepared by 8-year old Andrew Walsh, to unbelievably tender venison Swiss steak presented by Gary McConnell. Ron Gribb prepared mouth watering

pulled pork, Roger Wilcox dished up his famous Polish chili, Trey Ayers brought a shrimp and rice dish and the shrimp gumbo prepared by Ronnie Denno of Fox Run Country Club created quite a stir among guests. Monte Burmeister hand grilled buffalo burgers as an appetizer, Dan Mygrant prepared Coney Dog Stew and Randy Thompson reminded all of us to eat our vegetables by way of a beautiful summer salad, said Traci Cook, executive director for the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce. Youngster Robert Rousselo again presented an amazing array of cheesecakes.

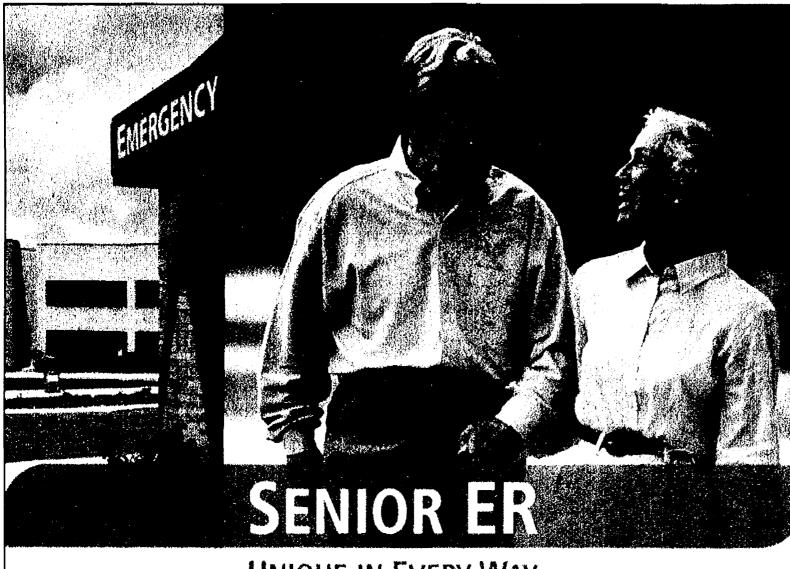
For those who have never attended a Men Who

Cook event it truly is a great night out, Cook said. The doors open at 5 p.m., when guests typically get a sneak peak at the menu prior to serving. The 50/50 tickets are sold up until the time dinner is served at 6 p.m. and the drawing is held at 7:30 p.m. This 50/50 winner claimed a \$239 payout. New this year was a surprise by Fox Run Country Club, which asked that an additional ticket be pulled for a free round of golf at the club. Rousselo claimed

Plans for the 2012 Men Who Cook are already underway and the Chamber looks forward to another successful event.

the prize.

"We hope to see everyone next year," Cook said.



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This year's Men Who Cook, held on June 2 at Camp Grayling's Officers Club, saw a crowd of over 125 enjoy the warm summer breeze and wonderful array of food provided by some of Grayling's finest. Above, Ronnie Denno of Fox Run Country Club serves up his shrimp gumbo while Andrew Walsh dishes up chicken strips as his dad Walter Walsh looks on.



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Relay for Life Bowl-A-Thon raises money to knock down cancer





The fifth annual Crawford County Relay For Life Bowl-A-Thon was recently held at the American Legion Lounge and Lanes. Four teams raised over \$1,500 to help fund research for a cure to cancer. The teams included Hardbodyz, Cancer Crusaders (Grayling Family Practice), Glen's Market and Curves for a Cure. Above left, Dr. Michael Burkley and Shelia Cox from Grayling Family Practice take a practice shot during the Crazy Bowl. Above right, Richard Ferrigan, the owner of Hardbodyz, holds his grandson Brandon Laurin as his other grandson A.J. Laurin takes a shot during the Crazy Bowl with the assistance of Laura Fitzpatrick, a Hardbodyz Relay for Life team member.

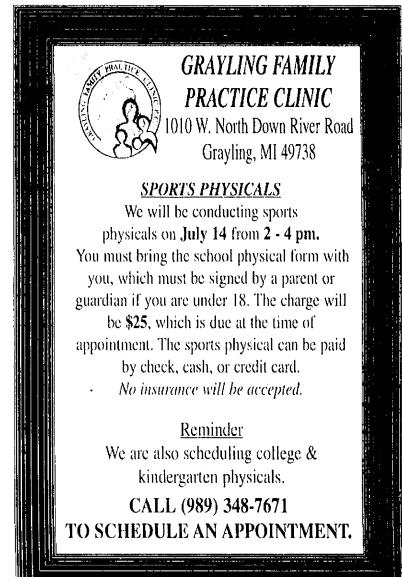


Photos courtesy of Leonard Binert The Lake Margrethe Property Owner's Association inaugural Fishing Derby, held in conjunction with the state's free fishing weekend on Saturday, was a success. Above, Kieran Phillips, donning his Lake Margrethe Property Owner's Association Fishing Derby T-shirt, is stoked about receiving his gift certificate for tying for first place in the fishy derby.

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Anglers reel them in at inaugural fishing derby

The Lake Margrethe Property Owner's Association inaugural Fishing Derby, held in conjunction with the state's free weekend fishing Saturday, was a success.

Children and adults alike braved the chilly weather to catch some exceptional Lake Margrethe fish.

In the children's division, there were five winners. Brandon Gabriel Jr. was the biggest winner with two Skip's Sport Shop certificates worth \$50 for his 2 oz. blue gill and a 7 oz. pumpkinseed. All of the other children received \$25 Skip's Sport Shop certificates for their catches.

Ben Thompson, Kieran and Gavin Phillips Frederick tied for first place with 1 oz. perch. Drake and Daniel Shipman won first place for their 2 lb. 2 oz. walleye.

In the adult division Brandon Gabriel Sr. was a big winner with his 1 lb. 9 oz. largemouth bass and an 11 oz. rock bass. William Goodpaster won first place for his 1 lb. 8 oz. walleye and Craig Tibbits won first for his 6 oz. bluegill. All received Skip's Sport Shop certificates.

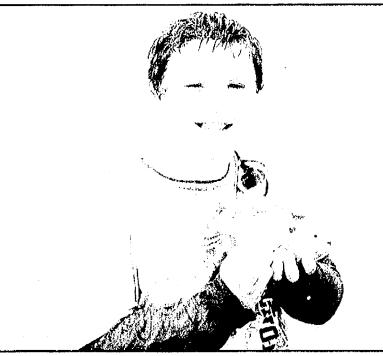
The Lake Margrethe Owner's Property Association wants to recognize everyone who participated and those who helped make the fishing derby posespecially R.J. sible, Hannan and Harry Wojcik for their vision in beginning the event.

Everyone who attended enjoyed the hot dogs grilled by Roger Wilcox along with chips and pop. All of the donors will be acknowlthe Lake edged at Margrethe Property Owner's Association next community event. meeting, which be held at 9 a.m. on July 16 at the Grayling Charter Township Hall.

The Lake Margrethe Property Owner's Association plans to make

the fishing derby an annual

The 2012 event date will be determined based on participants feedback. People are encouraged to contact Ken and Sandra Michalik to give feedback or volunteer. They can be reached at kscmichalik88@charter.net.



Brandon Gabriel Jr. was the biggest winner with two Skip's Sport Shop certificates worth \$50 for his 2 oz. blue gill and a 7 oz. pumpkinseed, which he is pictured holding.



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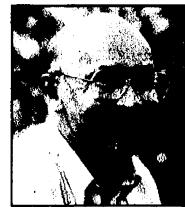
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Almanack

by Richard Milliman

No clear opponent yet for Stabenow

SO FAR, IT appears, Michigan Republicans are having a tough time coming up with a clear strong candidate or two to challenge incumbent Democratic Sen. Debbie Stabenow for her seat in the US Senate.

Senate opportunities only come on the ballot next year. around every six years, and its been quite a spell since Michigan Republicans have been able to develop a dangerous challenge to Sens. Stabenow and Carl Levin, the two Democrats who now hold Michigan's two seats in the Senate.

The last Republican to represent our state in the self-identified "greatest deliberative body in the world" was Spencer Abraham, who served a single term before Ms. Stabenow defeated him in 2000.

This year, especially with a fellow Democrat President Obama leading the national ticket for reelection, Ms. Stabenow has a pretty solid chance of keeping her post.

As the new Congress met in January, Sen. Stabenow was appointed chair of the Senate agriculture committee, the most significant job she's had in Washington

so far.

Michigan voters may have noticed a much larger imprint on home state activities by her in the past few months, partly due to her new and important role in agriculture, and partly because she will be

She also has been building a considerable campaign fund for the past several years, and as a Washington insider has access to deep Democratic-oriented pockets.

Debbie Stabenow always has been a very good campaigner since she began her elective career as a county commissioner so many years ago, and she seems to have lost none of her enthusiasm nor her effectiveness in grass roots politics

It will be very difficult for any eventual Republican candidate to beat her in 2012,

ALL THIS ADDS to the difficulty for top Republicans to come up with a top-line challenger for the Senate seat at least so far.

Peter Hoekstra of Holland, who left Congress after 20 years in the House to run a losing campaign for the GOP nomination for governor, pondered the Senate race and decided against it.

So did Terri Lynn Land, term limited last year after eight years as Michigan Secretary of State and early candidate for governor last year, who might have been a front runner to take on Ms. Stabenow.

Ms. Land was not kind to Republican leadership in announcing her withdrawal, claiming party leaders are unwilling to commit resources to the race.

"It's not about words, it's about actions, and the actions just aren't there from the national to the local to say that they want to make this a priority," she said.

"That's what's needed in this kind of a race against an incumbent who's strong."

She's right, of course, at least about the need to commit on both levels of party organization to zero in on what could be a winnable race. Her conclusion that leadership Republicans concluded that Ms. Stabenow's grasp on the seat makes her invulnerable also seems in line with early actions.

LATEST DECLINE came from national GOP committeeman Saul Anuzis, former state Republican chair, and twice active but unsuecessful in pursuit of the job as national GOP chair.

Mr. Anuzis said his was a personal decision and many stronger candidates are available to challenge Ms. Stabenow.

Two Republicans are declared candidates - Randy Hekman of Grand Rapids, a former juvenile court judge, and Peter Konetchy, an accountant from Roscommon.

Several others reportedly have been considering seeking the GOP nomination.

According to printed reports, these include: Rob Steele of Ann Arbor, a cardiologist who lost a race against US Rep. John Dingell in 2010; Tim Leuliette, an auto supply executive; and Scotty Boman, who has run before on the Libertarian ticket.

Detroit radio personality Frank Beckman has been speculated as a candidate, but, as one newspaper story said, "he laughed off the suggestion, but did not rule it out."

The Detroit News has reported some grass roots Republicans are trying to lure a former Detroit Red Wing to go after the GOP nomination. No names were mentioned.

THERE MAY be other potential. Republican candidates out there

somewhere.

Coaxing "name" candidates from outside the usual public arenas of politics and government generally has not been a successful way to unseat a solid incumbent.

Tea Party activists may well come forward with a candidate who could attract both state and national support from the Tea Party structure.

The 2012 election is 18 months in the future. In the 2012 presidential race, that's a short time. For the Senate election, it's not nearly so short.

About the only possibility I can come up with who might be on an even par with Debbie Stabenow going into the Senate campaign season would be former Gov. John Engler, now employed at a generous salary by business concerns in Washington, and who maintains a

home in Michigan. But Mr. Engler wouldn't give up all that to come back to Michigan and run for the Senate, would he?

No, probably not.

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Viewpoint

From Secretary of State Ruth Johnson

Keeping Michigan waterways safe

With the start of the Michigan boating season in May, Secretary of State Ruth Johnson and the U.S. Coast Guard encourage residents to help keep the state waterways and marinas safe by reporting any suspicious or illegal activities to authorities.

Resident involvement is crucial to America's Waterway Watch, national effort to safeguard country's marine resources. Combined with the efforts of the Coast Guard and its Reserve and Auxiliary units, Michigan residents, boaters and businesses can provide the "eyes and ears" needed to help monitor thousands of miles of state shoreline and waterways.

"Michigan is a water lover's paradise, whether you boat, fish, kayak, scuba dive, water ski or swim," said Johnson, who oversees the titling and registering of watercraft. "Keeping our waterways and marinas safe is essential to protecting one of the greatest natural resources that has so enriched our way of life. The America's Waterways Watch campaign asks you to do your part by reporting any suspicious or illegal activity to authorities."

Information about America's Waterway Watch is available at all Secretary of State offices and on the

words.

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or use every other line and limit to 500

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Department of State website at www.Michigan.gov/sos.

This is the seventh year that the Department of State has joined with the U.S. Coast Guard, Coast Guard Auxiliary and the U.S. Power Squadrons in promoting the campaign. Capt. Jeff Ogden, Commander, Coast Guard Sector Detroit; Capt. Joseph McGuiness, Commander, Coast Guard Sector Sault Ste. Marie and Capt. Luann Barndt, commander, Coast Guard Sector Lake Michigan, representing the Great Lakes region, said that public participation makes it possible to monitor thousands of miles of state shoreline and open water with minimal resources

"Keeping Michigan and the country safe requires constant attention," Midgett said. "America's Waterways Watch promotes greater public awareness about the importance of defending our waterways by giving citizens an opportunity to participate. All that is required is a watchful eye and common sense. We are pleased to work with Secretary Johnson to make information about the campaign available at all Secretary of State offices." America's Waterway Watch asks residents to report: Any suspicious person who misuses a boat or seems

strangely unfamiliar with

them. Any person or watercraft that appears to be loitering or has no specific reason for being in the area. Anyone trying to access a boat by force. Unattended vessels in odd locations. Unusual night operations. Lights flashing between boats and anyone recovering or tossing items into waterways or onto shore-

Residents are cautioned to not approach or challenge anyone acting suspiciously. Any concerns should be called into the National Response Center at 877-24WATCH (249-2834).Life - threatening emergencies and serious threats to property should be reported to 911 or called into the Coast Guard on Marine Channel VHF 16.

The Coast Guard and the Department Homeland Security sponsor America's Waterway Watch nationwide. More information is available on the Coast Guard website at www.americaswaterwaywatch.org.

Information about Secretary of State services and programs is available on the department website (www.Michigan.gov.sos) or through the - official Secretary of State Twitter (www.twitter.com/ feed Michsos) and Facebook updates (www.facebook. com/Michigansos.)

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Letters Editor

Valiant efforts were made by local agencies during the recent fire

To the editor:

On the afternoon of Tuesday, June 7, 2011 sevresidents along Manistee River Road were told to evacuate their home by police authorities due to a wildfire in the area. For the next several hours they waited anxiously while calling loved ones and neighbors to inform them of the situation. While the news was spreading, so was the fire and several fire departments, DNR officials, and law enforcement agencies took on the task of saving lives, homes and pets and trying to contain the ruthless fire.

The Manistee Pines Property **Owners** Association is grateful to all

the law enforcement agencies, fire fighting departments, volunteers, the Red Cross and any other organizations that helped protect us and our property from a near disaster. Due to their valiant efforts, our group of about 20 families was able to return to our homes and cottages with gratitude knowing how close we came to a near disaster. Although our adjacent lot on the east side of the Manistee River Road suffered extensive damage, nature has a way of rejuvenating itself and it won't be long until we see new

Manistee Pines Property Owners Association

My hat goes off to those brave men and women

To the editor:

We are writing this letter to all of the outstanding men and women of our community who were involved in fighting the wildfires on June 9 and 10 near Manistee River Rd. This includes the men and women firefighters, the police officers of Grayling, Frederic, Kalkaska, the DNR, the Sheriff Department, etc.

We live on Manistee River Road and what a joy

it was seeing the dedication and cooperation of the public servants perform their duties in 97 degree weather and flames at least 40 feet

They saved many homes from burning up. We are so proud of them, especially under the tough circumstances they worked under that day. My hat goes off to those brave men and women.

> Tom and Peg Walbridge Grayling

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Briets

Hazardous Waste to be collected

The Crawford County Household Hazardous Waste Collection will be held on Saturday, June 18, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., in the parking lot of the county building, 200 W. Michigan Ave. This service is for Crawford County residents and property owners. Proof of eligibility may be required. Please, no commercial waste, latex paint, scrap tires or appliances. Call 344-3202 with questions.

Benefit spaghetti dinner to be held

A spaghetti benefit dinner for Ron Rugenstein will be held on Saturday, June 18, from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., at the Frederic Elementary School. The cost is \$5 per person or \$20 per family. There will also be a bake sale and silent auction. Ron was involved in a motorcycle/deer accident and is in ICU in a downstate hospital. He does not have any medical insurance to cover costs.

Community dinner to be held

A Community Father's Day Dinner will be held on Thursday, June 16, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., at 308 Lawndale St. (behind Burger King) The cost is \$5.25 for those under age 60 and \$2.50 for those over 60. The meal will consist of BBQ ribs, baked potato, corn blend, spiced apples and German chocolate cake. Proceeds to benefit the Crawford County COA.

Openings for D.A.R.E. Golf Outing

The Crawford County Sheriff's Office has team openings for the annual D.A.R.E. Golf Outing, to be held at the Grayling Country Club on Thursday, June 23. This event is a fund-raiser to support youth services in our schools and community, such as the D.A.R.E. programs, Jr. Deputy, the Bicycle Safety Rodeo and the Child Identification program. There are still team openings available. For more information, call Tina at the Sheriff's Office at 344-3214.

Church to hold VBS

The First Baptist Church of Frederic, will hold VBS on June 20 - 24, from 5: 30 p.m. to 8 p.m., for ages 4 through completed 6th grade. There will be a free supper at 5:30 p.m. Call 348-8126 or 348-8460 with questions.

Relay for Life Auction to be held

Crawford County Relay for Life will hold their annual auction on Friday, June 17, at the Grayling Eagles. The doors open at 7 p.m. and a live auction will begin at 8 p.m. The theme is sports and some items for auction will be signed player photos from the Detroit Tigers and the Detroit Red Wings, Beach Bum tickets and many more items. Snacks, desserts and beverages will be available. Contact Mary Herman at 348-2823, with questions.

Running club open to kids K-5th

The Grayling Cross Country Running Club is a free running club open to children in kindergarten through 5th grade. Practices are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:30 p.m. until 5:30 p.m. at Hanson Hills. The first practice is June 21. Call Samara Sabin with questions or to sign up at 390-9759.

Community calendar available online

The Crawford County Avalanche has a community calendar on their new Web site. To view area happenings, or to be considered for publication of your event, go to crawfordcountyavalanche.com, click on community and go to the community calendar.

Area Events

Roscommon - A free concert at the Gazebo will be held on June 22, at 7 p.m. Ernest Entertainment will perform. If the weather is inclement, the concert will be in the CRAF Center

Roscommon - South Higgins Lake State Park with Explorer Guide Brittany Hnevsa will hold the following programs: Thursday, June 16 -Calling Junior All Naturalists! @ Explorer Guide Tent – 3 p.m. Fire Building 101 @ Explorer Guide Tent - 8:30 p.m. Learn all the secrets to building the perfect campfire. Parents must be present at this program. Friday, June 17 - Scavenger Hunt @ Camp Host Site 147 -5:30 p.m.-7 p.m. Starry Skies @ Explorer Guide Tent – 9 p.m., discover the skies and make up some constellations. new Saturday, June 18 -

Discovery Center @ Day Use Beach – 2 p.m. Go fly a kite @ Explorer Guide Tent - 4 p.m. Tuesday, June 21 - Fishing in the Parks @ Boat Launch Bathroom Building - 6 p.m.: evening fishing. Don't forget the bug spray! All participants ages 17 and older must have a valid fishing license. Bait and poles are provided. Wednesday,

June 22 -

Nature Tails @ Camp Host Site 147 - 10 a.m.: Its story time! Crafty Kids @ Camp Host Site 147 – 2 p.m.: Nature is filled with

all kinds of art! Programs usually last one hour and are open to all ages. The Explorer Guide Tent is located next to the baseball diamond between the East and West Campgrounds. An adult must accompany children under 10 years old. While the programs are free, The Recreation Passport is required to enter the park. For more information con-Explorer Guide Brittany Hnevsa HnevsaB@michigan.gov or call the park at 989-821-

Senior Citizen News

Join us for a meal either at noon or 5 p.m. weekdays, except Friday, when there is no evening meal. Soup or salad bar served prior to the meal Monday through Thursday.

This week's menu (lunch/dinner) and activities:

Friday, June 17 - Lunch-Italian sausage with green peppers and onions, mashed potatoes and apricots. No dinner. 10 a.m. card golf, 12 p.m. Lovells Satellite meal, 1 p.m. Pantry Bingo and Pool.

Monday, June 20 -Lunch - pork fritter, sweet and sour sauce, rice, mixed vegetables and pineapple chunks. Dinner - stuffed florentine shells, wax beans, broccoli and fruit cocktail. 10 a.m. quilting, 1 p.m. - 4 pm. Hearing Clinic - appointment required, 1 p.m. Bridge, 2:30 p.m. Bunco.

Tuesday, June 21 -Lunch - fried chicken, oven roasted potatoes, broccoli and honey-nut apples. Dinner - meatloaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn and strawberries. 10 a.m. Bible Study. 10:15 a.m. HDM Drivers meeting, 1 p.m. Euchre and Cheboygan Wii Bowling, 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. blood pressure/sugar checks, 5:15 p.m. Dial-A-Ride presentation.

Wednesday, June 22 -Lunch - Sloppy Joes, O'Brien potatoes, cole slaw and plums. Dinner baked chicken, sweet potatoes, Prince Charles blend, applesauce and apple crisp. 1 p.m. pool league and Wii Bowling and COA board meeting.

Thursday, June 23 -Lunch - lasagna, Italian blend vegetables, apricots and cookies. Dinner roast beef, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, and cinnamon applesauce. 10 a.m. craft class and Pokeno, 1 p.m. UNO Attack and UnLucky 7's, and Wii Bowling hosts Kalkaska.

The Crawford County Commission on Aging's Senior Center is located at 308 Lawndale, behind Burger King in Grayling. Walk-ins are welcome.

Range Firing

Range activities at Camp Grayling for June 23-29 will be as follows:

Small Arms Ranges, located north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, south of Portage Creek and west of Lake Margrethe, June 24-28.

The 40 Complex, Air to Down River Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618 and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.), June 23-24 and 27-29.

The 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.), June 23-25.

The 30 Complex, located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612 and west of Bald Hill Truck Trail,

June 23-24.

In addition, the following roads will be closed on June 16-25: Bucks East-West Truck Trail from Jones Lake Road to Wakeley Bridge Road; Ketchum Truck Trail from Bucks East-West to North Stephen Bridge Road from County Road 612 to North Down River Road; Wakeley Bridge Road from Country Road 612 to North Down River Road.

This firing schedule is subject to change without notice.

Contact the Grayling Department of Natural Resources for the areas closed for hunting within the boundaries of the installation. Grayling DNR telephone number: 989-348-6371. For further information call 989-344-6100.

Sheriff's Report

Crawford County Sheriff Kirk Wakefield reports his office handled the following 96 complaints the week of June 6 - June 12.

Sixteen general noncriminal complaints, one tree-brush-grass fire, three false alarm activations, one criminal sexual conduct/sexual assault, one one aggravated assault-family-other weapon, one aggravated assault familystrong-arm, one stalking, three larcenies, one frauduactivities, lent cruelty/neglect, one obstructing court order, one one obstruction of justiceconditional release violation, six public peace disorderly complaints, 13 portable signal preemption devices, six health and safety reports, one animal at large, two miscellaneous criminal offenses, one miscellaneous arrest, eight traffic accidents, three accidents-non-traffic, three traffic violations-civil infractions, one inspection-property, five investigationsfamily trouble, 13 suspicious situations and one driving on revoked/suspended license.

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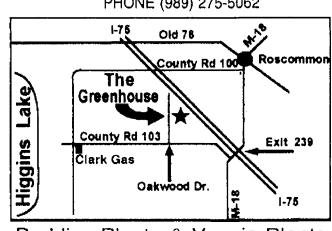
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The Bible Speaks

Love & Coveting

The last two of the Ten Commandments, "Thou shalt not bear false witness" and "Thou shalt not covet" identify sins of the mouth and heart which normally precede the acts against the other commandments. "80we no man any thing, but to love one another: for he that loveth another hath fulfilled the law. 9For this, Thou shalt not commit adultery, Thou shalt not kill, Thou shalt not steal, Thou shalt not bear false witness, Thou shalt not covet...." ;Adultery, murder, stealing, lying, and covetousness manifest a total lack of love respectively toward human homes, human life, human property, human integrity, and human blessings...

The apostle Paul reminds us in Romans 7:7 that coveting come from the sin of lust and not love: "....I had not known sin, but by the law: for I had not known lust, except the law had said, Thou shalt not covet." Human lust and sin are not the judgments of human beings, but revealed truth from God's Holy Scriptures, 1 John 2:16 tells us, "16For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world." Satan tempted Eve to disbelieve God and obey him with this temptation: "6And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave also unto her husband with her; and he did eat." (Genesis 3:6).

Coveting is not just a sinagainst our fellow human being, it is also a sin of idolatry against God in Colossians 3:5: "Mortify therefore your members which are upon the earth; fornication, uncleanness, inordinate affection, evil concupiscence, and covetousness, which is idolatry." We are to mortify or put to death such sin in our body because covetousness is sin against both God and our neighbor." The lust and sin of our first parents in the Garden of Eden brought an inherited sin nature and death upon all of

As Jesus reminded the Pharisees in Luke 16:13-15 we cannot place anyone or anything above our worship of God. "No servant can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon, 14 And the Pharisees also, who were covetous, heard all these things: and they derided him. 15 And he said unto them, Ye are they which justify yourselves before men; but God knoweth your hearts: for that which is highly esteemed among men is abomination in the sight of God."

God teaches us how to avoid covetousness in 1 Timothy 6:: "6But godliness with contentment is great gain. 7For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out. 8And having food and raiment let us be therewith content. 9But they that will be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and hurtful lusts, which drown men in destruction and perdition. 10For the love of money is the root of all evil; which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows." Jesus said in Luke 12:15: "....Take heed, and beware of covetousness: for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth." Pastor "B"

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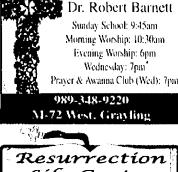


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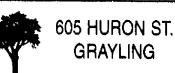
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Obituaries

Robert A. Popp

Robert Albert "Bob" Popp, 86, of Luzerne, formerly of Saginaw, passed away with his family by his side, following a short illness on Friday, June 10, 2011 at his home in Luzerne.

He was born in Saginaw, on August 28, 1924, the son of the late Irving A. and Mary (Phiel) Popp.

He was the husband of Gertrude (Most) Popp his loving wife of 64 years. They where married June 26, 1946.

He served in the U.S. Army Air Corp during WW II in the Aleutian Islands. He retired after 35 years from the Central Foundry where he was a machinist.

He is survived by his wife, Gertrude; son, Irving Patrick (Julie) Popp; two grandchildren, Andrew Popp of Long Beach Calif., and Courtney (Eric) Bohlmann of Queen Creek Ariz.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister, Betty O'Brien; and a brother, Stuart Popp.

In accordance with Bob's wishes cremation already taken place and memorials may be made to the Grayling Sportsman's Club, 6990 Old Lake Road, Grayling, MI 49738.

Arrangements Lashley Funeral Home, Mio.

In Memory of

In memory of our dad, Francis P. Decker, who passed away four years ago June 13, 2007.

Dad, a heart of gold stopped beating, two shining eyes at rest, God broke our hearts to prove he only takes the best. God knows you had to leave us, but you did not go alone for part of us went with you, the day he took you home. To some you are forgotten, to others just part of the past, but to those of us who loved and lost you, the memory will always last.

Sadly missed by daughter,

Rose Gildner; sons, Tim Decker, Leroy Decker; grandchildren; and greatgrandchildren

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank the Redskins and everyone else who did so much for my "special sister, Judy Morgan" also my "special brother, Bud Morgan."

Thank you for the cards, flowers, phone calls and donations.

> Sally McPherson sister, nieces and nephews

Marie M. Prause

Marie Maxine Prause, 8, 2011.

Kirkum.

were married in Grayling.

Grayling.

She was passionate about

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Donald Hale; daughter, Terri Vanderwall; sister, Toots Ross; brothers, Karl, Lester, Mark, and Orlo Kirkum.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at at St. Mary's Catholic Church at Monday, June 13, 2011 with Rev. Joseph Blasko

was Elmwood Cemetery Grayling.

In lieu of flowers, it is Marie's wish that memorial contributions be made to Crawford County Relay for Life. Online donation may be made by going to: www.relayforlife.org/crawfordcountymi. Marie's team is Girls Against Cancer.

Donations may also be

Condolences may be sent www.sorensonlockwood.com.

77, of Grayling, passed away on Wednesday June

She was born in Ray Center, on March 27, 1934, the daughter of the late Glenn Lynn and Angela Anna (Dunn)

Marie would have celebrated the 25th anniversary of her marriage to Robert Prause on August 23. They

She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church,

She was active in the Lioness Club of Grayling, and served as secretary of the district Lioness Club. She was also previously chosen as "Lioness of the Year".

her involvement in Relay for Life here in Crawford County. Her team has been able to raise large amounts of money for American Cancer Society. Marie's team is called "Girls Against Cancer"

She is survived by her husband, Bob of 25 years; daughters: Denise (Doug) Latuszek of Grayling, Linda (Mark) Crane of Mary Esther, Fla., Jackie (Joe) Riddle of Grayling; step-son, Jeff (Pam) Prause of Grayling; step-daughters: Brenda (Scott) Shoberg of Duluth, Minn., Prause Susan Minneapolis, Minn.; eightgrandchildren, four stepgrandchildren, and several great-grandchildren.

officiating.

Interment

Monroe, Grayling, died at 3:43 p.m. Wednesday, June 8, 2011 at Mercy Memorial Hospital. He had been in poor health

made to Relay for Life in c/o of Jackie Riddle, 223 Misty Way Grayling, MI 49738.

Arrangements entrusted Sorenson-Lockwood Funeral Home.

Patrick D. Hart

Patrick D. Hart, 71, Grayling, died suddenly June 5, 2011 at Mercy Hospital.

He was born on Feb. 4, 1940 in Eldorado, he was the son of Daniel Fenner and Marjorie J. (Hartman) Hart who preceded him in death.

He was raised in Eldorado until 1952 when his family moved to Alpena.

When he was 17 years old he joined the United States Army and made it a career, serving for over 20 years. His duty to his country found him stationed and living in many places including Fort Leonard Wood in Missouri, Fort Chaffie in Arkansas, Thule Air Base in Greenland, Detroit, Germany, Fort Belvore in Virginia, Fort Riley in Pennsylvania, Kansas, Thailand and Vietnam.

He was also an active member of the Military Honors personnel, assisting at funerals for active duty soldiers killed in action during the Vietnam War, presenting the flag to the next of kin or as a member of the firing squad for the 21 gun salute. He also assisted the families of deceased members of the military with follow-up details and the benefit application process. He continued to serve the families of veterans with his participation in Military

Victor F. Waltz

for three months.

(Sedelbauer) Waltz.

November 5, 2007.

Consolidated

Victor F. Waltz, 95 of

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Monroe and St. John

Lutheran Church, Grayling.

He also served in the

He was a member of

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Paper

Honors and follow-up services even after his retirement from the Army.

In 1976 he moved to Colorado Springs, Colo., where he retired in 1977 from the Army.

He married Ruth A. Lambert on Dec. 8, 1982 in Colorado Springs and the couple lived there until 1990 when they moved to Gaylord. In 1992 they moved to Grayling. In 1996 he went to work for Dana-Suttles Leasing as a truck driver working until his recent retirement on May 5, 2011.

He attended Calvary Baptist Church, West Branch. He was a member of American Legion Post #106 in Grayling, a life member of the Charles M. Engel VFW Post #4159 in Roscommon, the National American Legion Post #14000 and a life member of the National Rifle Association.

He is survived by his wife, Ruth; five children: Bill (Carrie) Hart of Fostoria, Debbie VanDeCasteele of Grayling, Roger (Kelly) Sundeck, Dan Hart and Barbara (Bob) Rickard all of Gaylord; nine grandchildren; two greatgranddaughters; two brothers, Fred (Judy) Hart of Alpena and Russel (Birdie) Hart of North Carolina and sister, Sarah (Bob) Padd of Oklahoma.

Funeral services with full Military Honors were held June 10, 2011 at Calvary Baptist Church in West Branch.

Memorial donations may be made to the family for a charity to be determined at a later. Arrangements by Walsh Funeral Home, Roscommon.

Civilian Conservation Corp. He enjoyed camping,

polka music, crocheting, needle point, singing and spending time with his fami-

He is survived by his children: Edward W. (Carolyn Eder) Waltz of Newport, Ronald L. (Victoria) Waltz of Carleton, Janice S. (Arnold) Reaume of Monroe and Vicky L. Masserant of Newport; sisters, Selma Krueger of Monroe and Elnor Miller of Venice, Fla.; grandchildren: Gena Waltz Mata, Joe Reaume, Scott (Teresa) Reaume, Melissa (James) O'Dell, Kristy Masserant, Phillip (Cindy) Masserant, Lisa (Steven) Reaume, Steven (Christy) Masserant and Jennifer (Jon) Elswick; and eleven great-

He was preceded in death by his wife; brother, Merle Waltz; sister, Thelma Wellhousen; and a grandson.

grandchildren.

A funeral service was held at Rupp Funeral Home on Sunday, June 12, with a burial on Tuesday, June 14, at 10 a.m. in Elmwood Cemetery, Grayling.

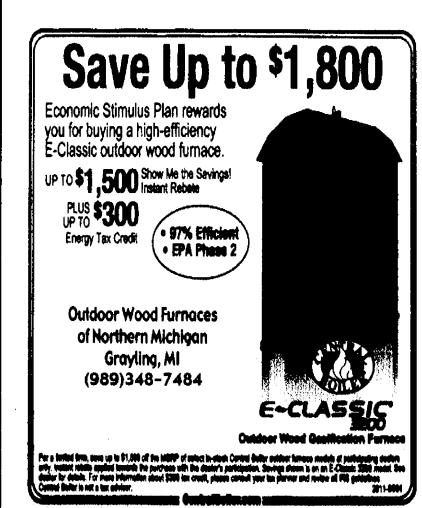
Memorials may be made to Trinity Lutheran Church. Online condolences may be sent through www.ruppfuneralhomeinc.com.

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Tabitha VanWormer and Matthew Larson

Christine Larson announces the engagement of her son, Matthew Larson of Grayling, to Tabitha VanWormer, of Marshall, daughter of Michel and Kimberly VanWormer of Marshall,

Matthew is a 2006 graduate of Grayling High School and a 2010 graduate of Hope College and Grand Valley State University Police Academy.

He is employed as a

Youth Specialist at Starr Commonwealth. He is the son of Christine Larson and the late Eric Larson of Grayling.

Tabitha is a 2006 graduate of Marshall High School and a 2010 graduate of Hope College.

She is employed as a nurse at Battle Creek Health System.

An August 2011 wedding is planned.

Library News

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Honors

Ferris State University James R. Boylan was presented with the Ferris State University Dean's

Academic Award for the 2010-2011 basketball season. This is the third year he has won this award. James graduated on May 7, with a degree in Criminal Justice. He is the son of Jim and Cheryl Boylan of Grayling.

Michigan Technological University

Michigan Technological University has released the Dean's List for the spring 2011 semester. To be included, students must achieve grade point averages of 3.5 or higher. Among the honorees is Hannah Smith of Grayling, an Exercise Science major.

Raffle Winners

Grayling Youth Booster Club

The 50/50 raffle winners for June 12 of \$25 each; Russ Hubbard, Phyllis Richards, Kelly Metzer, Bev Wilcox and Ed Veselsky. Russ Hubbard donated his winnings back to the Booster Club.

Grayling Lions Club

The winner of the Grayling Lions Club Lucky 13 raffle

was Val Bielski.

Card of Thanks

Larry and Carol DuVall would like to thank Ray and Amanda Hill for finding his glasses which were lost in the river at Whirlpool

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Card of Thanks

Larry and Carol DuVall would like to thank Dan and Tracy Mace for rescuing them on the river Sunday, June 5. God bless you both.



Five Generations



Five generations of the Tedesco family were recently together. Pictured here (from L to R) back row: father, Steven J. Kustra SGT, US Army (Ret.) Purple Heart recipient and recent graduate of University of Detroit Mercy (Summa Cum Laude); great-grandfather, Antonio Tedesco; (front row) grandmother, Angela Kustra holding baby, Samuel Joseph Kustra, born May 28, 2011; and Giuseppe Tedesco, great great-grandfather.

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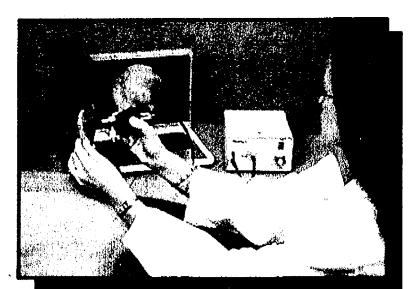
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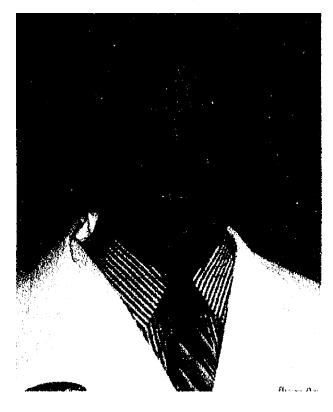
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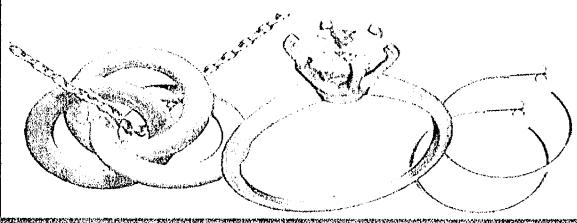
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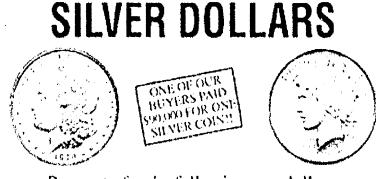
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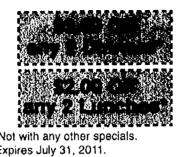
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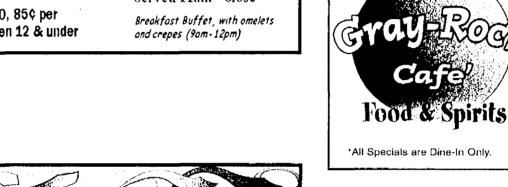


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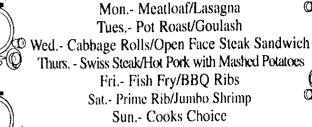
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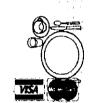


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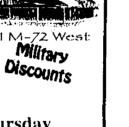
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Honors

Cyndi Powers, a seventh grade teacher for language arts and science at Grayling Middle School, has been selected by Georgia-Pacific to attend a national teaching institute.

Powers will attend the Keystone Center 2011 Key Issues Institute: Bringing Environmental Issues to the Classroom, which will be held this summer in Keystone, Colo. Powers seven other communities where Georgia-Pacific has facilities.

"Cyndi Powers will be a great addition to this group of teachers working together at the Keystone Center," said Grayling Middle School Principal Jeff Branch. "Cyndi is always working hard to stay current in her field to bring valuable information back to her students and our schoot."

Bringing Environmental Issues to the Classroom is a national training workshop that provides middle-level educators with the process, skills and confidence to investigate current environmental issues in a non-biased manner with their students. Past session participants have addressed diverse environmental topics such as solid waste management, water quality and issues related to climate change.

Within the context of a scientific investigation, teachers spend the week in traditional classroom lessons and participate in field activities designed to further explore environmental issues. To augment the implementation

of the new methods and techniques learned while at the Institute, participants receive a curriculum, instructional materials and lab kits. The institute also coordinates on-line support from other educators and instructors.

"Our investment in sponsoring teachers to attend the Keystone program absolutely pays dividends," said Chris will join teachers from Lockwood, the Georgia-Pacific Grayling Chemicals plant manager. "Keystone teaches a factmulti-discipline based, approach and framework on current topics. When teachers return to their schools, they are able to use those techniques to help students better understand the wide variety of environmental issues they may face in their communities."

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Founded in 1975 by Robert W. Craig, a noted mountaineer, philosopher public and policy researcher, the center is a non-profit organization headquartered in Keystone, Colo., with offices in Denver, Washington, Boston and Santa Fe. For more information, visit www.keystone.org.

Library receives certification for **Enhanced Level of Quality Services**

The Library of Michigan awarded the Devereaux Memorial Library a certificate of completion for meeting the Enhanced Level requirements of the Quality Services Audit Checklist (QSAC). To earn certificathe Devereaux tion, Memorial Library demonstrated its competence in seven categories of achievement including human governance/ resources. administration, services, collection development, technology, facilities and equippublic ment and relations/marketing.

"We are proud that the Devereaux Memorial Library has done such good work in providing services deemed essential by the Library of Michigan," said Crawford County Library President Board Selthoffer. "By focusing efforts on these key areas, our library has shown a strong commitment to customer service.

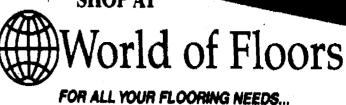
QSAC has defined enhanced services as quality measures are more difficult to achieve than the Essential Level. The Enhanced Level may require more funding and starts where Essential Services leave off. These standards are a commitment to the library to quality management and services beyond the basics.

'Two years in the making, QSAC represents the work of more than 100 library directors, trustees and staff members who together created measures of quality for our state's public libraries," said State Librarian Nancy Roberston. "The staff of the Crawford County Library System is to be commended for achieving a vital milestone in library service."

QSAC was made possible by the Institute of Museum and Library Services through LSTA funding. The Institute of Museum and Library Services, an independent Federal grant-making agency dedicated to creating and sustaining a nation of learners by helping libraries and museums serve their communities, supports Crawford County Library System.

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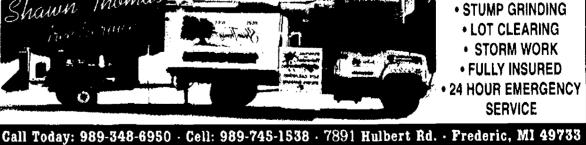
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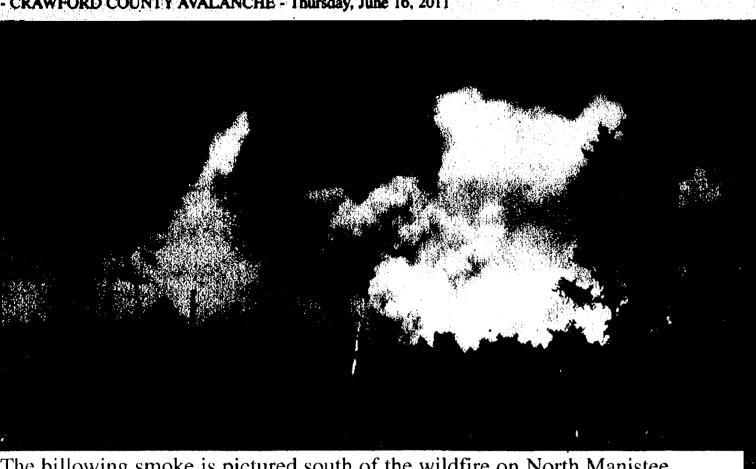
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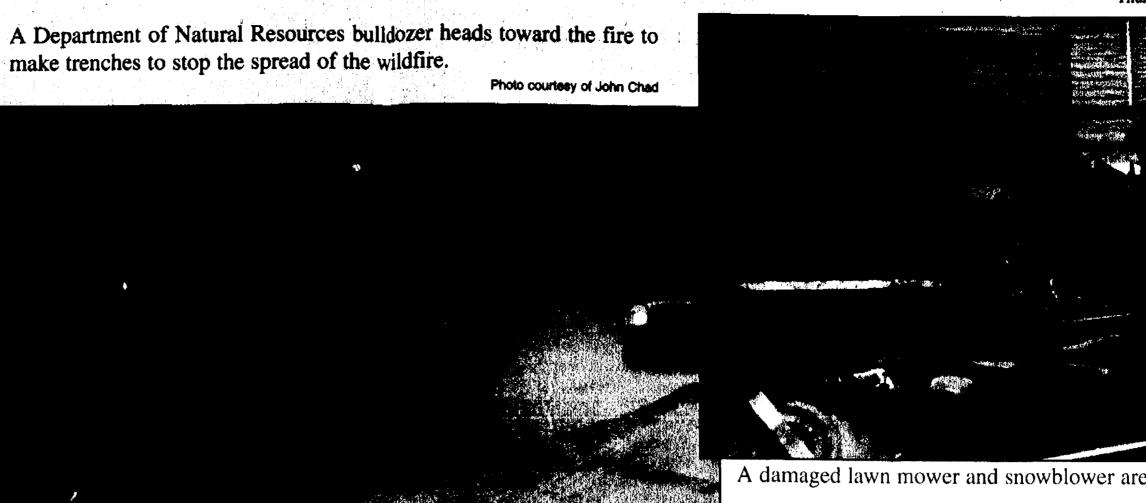
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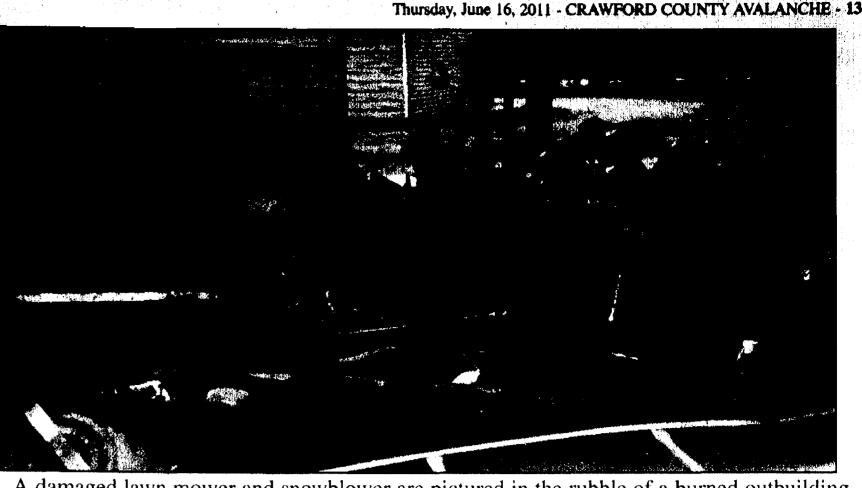
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The billowing smoke is pictured south of the wildfire on North Manistee River Road.

Photo courtesy of George McKim





A damaged lawn mower and snowblower are pictured in the rubble of a burned outbuilding. Photo courtesy of John Chad

Firefighters save homes, curtail spread of Howes Lake wildfire

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The American Red Cross established an emergency shelter at The Resurrection Life Center, but everyone left the shelter before the evacuation order was lifted late him and the family's miniature pony was fear." Tuesday.

Frederic Township Fire Department and EMS Chief Doug Pratt said firefighters and equipment were able to get in advance of the fire spreading with the main objective focused on saving homes.

Pratt said, "They got in - in advance of the fire - and the fire started far enough away that we could get our structure units in ahead of the fire and wet them down. We only worried about houses. We weren't worried about outbuilding, sheds or anything like that."

Trenching completed by bulldozers and firefighting personnel helped save the homes and curtail the spread of the fire.

"It was quite an operation and a very smooth operation," said Randy McKenzie, a fire duty officer from the DNR's Roscommon field office. "It was a safe operation and that was what I wanted to sec."

Along with dousing homes and property with water, a fire retardant added to the water and rigs carrying fire retardant foam assisted firefighters.

"The foam and fire additive is what saved the houses," Pratt said: "Water would have evaporated with the heat."

A total of 60 firefighters from Crawford County, Kalkaska County and Otsego County helped battle the blaze. The Grayling City/Township Fire Department, Frederic Township Fire Department and EMS, Lovells Township Fire Department, Cold Springs-Excelsior Fire Department, Blue Lake Township Fire Department, Bear Lake Township Fire Department, Kalkaska Fire Department, Otsego Lake helped battle the blaze.

An additional 30 DNR firefighters from Grayling, Roscommon, Gaylord, Atlanta and Kalkaska were called to the area.

"We back filled behind us so we could get to the initial attack and had crews McKenzie said.

Only one firefighter, from a DNR crew from Atlanta, sustained heat exhaustion from battling the blaze in the already hot and humid temperatures.

"He got hydrated and he was fine within a few hours," McKenzie said.

Ryan Nelson was working his job at listening to a scanner and was also notified Jim's Well Drilling when he learned about by a neighbor. the fire. He picked up his children at school when Gail Foguth, the Crawford County Animal Control Officer, notified lot of animals and that was our biggest evacuated and safe. The pony was boarded

"I wasn't overly concerned because we Chuck Hill for the coordinated job of savand our animals were safe," Nelson said. "A house is a house. We could have lost a lot of things that couldn't be able to be those animals out of there," Kroell said. "Everything went superb on this one," replaced but insurance would replace the "I'm sure that wasn't easy."

The fire damaged about half of the 11 outdoor recreation since the family's tram-

Thick smoke and flames are seen coming through the

Photo courtesy of John Chad

"I was pretty panicked," Kroell said.

Kroell praised firefighters, Foguth and

Kalkaska County Animal Control officer

Kroell said her kids will have a little less

ing the animals in the area.

"It's an awful way to wake up. We have a

acres Nelson owns. He said he was amazed Fire Department and Camp Grayling to see all the hot spots in the woods when the evacuation order was lifted late Tuesday and used every inch of hose he owns to get to nearby hot spots on his house."

woods and it looked like there were a lot of ready for a second and third fire," little campfires all over the place," Nelson said. "I'm just thankful the firefighters did such a fantastic job."

Greer Kroell, a nursing assistant at Otsego Memorial Hospital, worked the night shift when the events that led to the let goats he owns loose to fend for them-

poline was sacrificed to save their home. "It's a small loss compared to what it could have been," she said. "The kids were bummed, but at least we have our

"As I was driving, I looked out into the Czubak, an engineering and planning firm in Traverse City, learned of the fire and evacuation from his father Don Rombach. "My first response was -my house does- said n't stand a chance," Rombach said.

Don Rombach, who lives a mile away from Tim's property rescued his dogs and selves. After rushing back to Crawford She learned of the evacuation order by County, Rombach spent the next vital fire.

hours at the Frederic Township Fire Hall, listening to coordinated efforts of the firefighters taking place out in the field.

"I'm still shocked and amazed that they were able to save my house," Rombach said. "It was really an amazing, coordinated effort to save everyone's home. It is a testament to how talented they are."

Dave Brown, who lives in Linden about two miles south of Grayling, struggled to "They did awesome work getting all find information while the fire was ongoing. He received updates from John Chad, a director of Happi-Trails ATV Club.

> Brown visited his property on Friday and wants to treat every firefighter, who battled the blaze, to a steak dinner.

> "I was shocked by what I saw, to say the least," said Brown, a former volunteer firefighter. "It's just bizarre to have that much devastation around my cabin that looks like it was almost untouched."

> A second fire was reported in the area as a brunt of firefighters were battling the wildfire.

> Pratt' said the DNR spotter plane informed him of the fire, which was located on property located at the corner of Cameron Bridge Road and Lane Drive. Units from Bear Lake Township,

> Kalkaska Township and Otsego Township were dispatched to that fire, which is suspected to be an arson case, Pratt said.

> "It was relatively small, but it does appear to be very suspiciously set so it appeared that someone set that fire, but we can't confirm that yet," Pratt said. "It was a small fire and they were able to put it out right away because it was reported right

The Howes Lake wildfire was 100 percent contained by Wednesday morning and rain and cooler temperatures helped firefighters extinguish the blaze.

"Thank you God. I never knew that the sound of rain could sound so good," Chad said on the Happi-Trails ATV Club's website. "It was a very frightful thing experiencing a fire right next to your home within 10 feet."

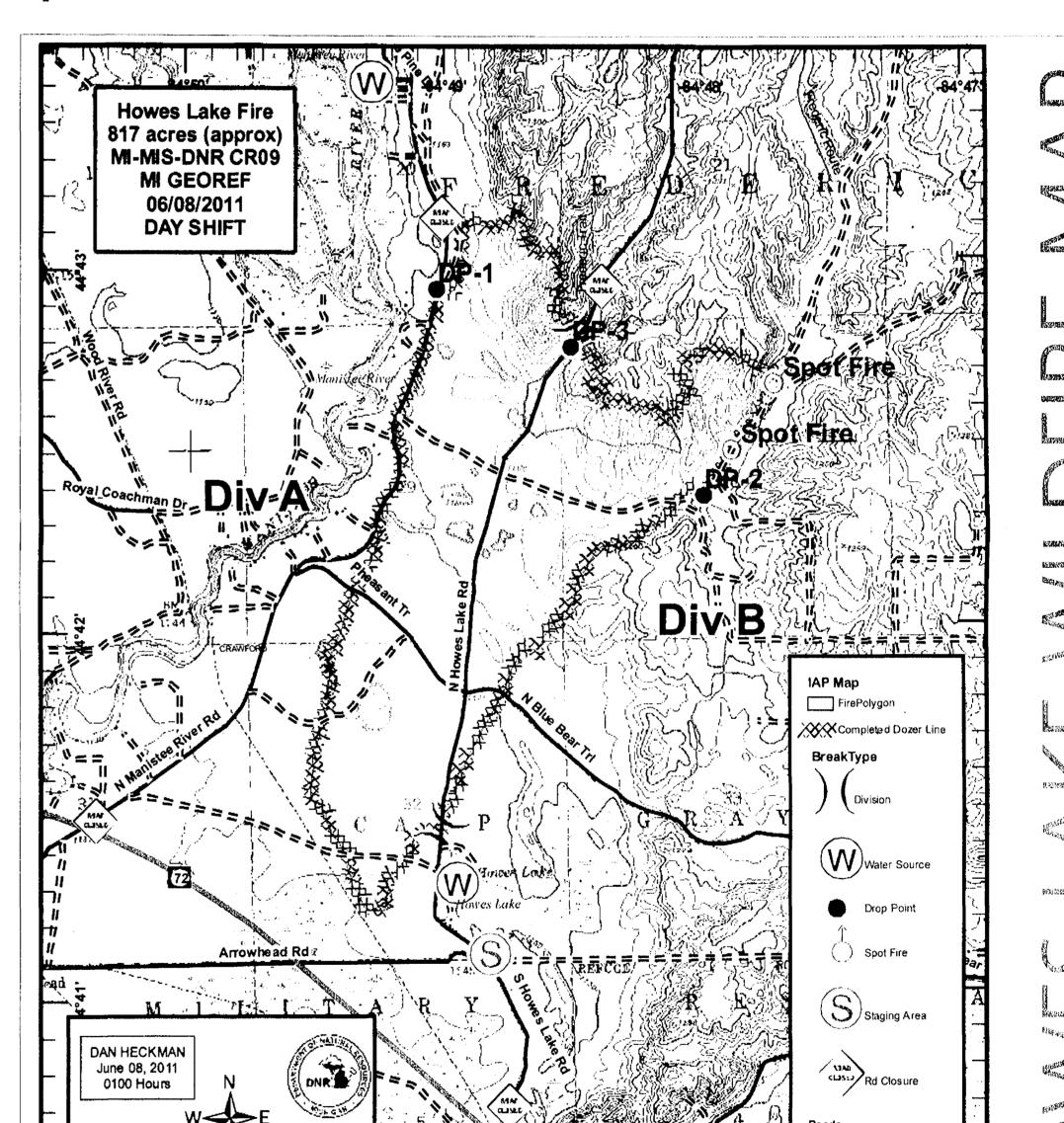
Pratt said that teamwork among all Tim Rombach, an engineer for Gosling agencies and citizens saved the day during the Howes Lake Fire. "We could not have done it without

everybody working as a big team," Pratt Residents across Michigan are asked to

be extremely careful with any open fire

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due to hot, dry weather conditions. For more information on wildfire prevention, go to www.michigan.gov/dnr-



The remains of a burned structure are pictured below. Photo courtesy of John Chad

A charred Dish network satellite is pictured in front of rubble from a burned down outbuilding.

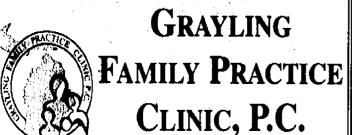
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The outside of this storage unit was totally destroyed by the wildfire.

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The COOR-ISD has received a five year, \$250,000 grant to implement an early childhood literacy and school-preparedness program using the nationallyknown model Reach Out and model within Reach Crawford, Ogemaw, Oscoda, and Roscommon Counties. The COOR-Iosco Great Start Collaborative will operate the program which is designed to support early brain development through reading by providing books to low-income children ages 0-5, and assisting their parents in understanding the importance of reading aloud as it relates to brain development and school readiness.

The grant is provided through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Health Resources Services and Administration's Maternal and Child Health Federal Consolidated Program under the competitive funds as part of the Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children

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be financed 100% by federal funds in the first year of operation, followed by years two through five requiring that non-federal matching funds be provided equal to two times the amount of the federal grant award. This will require the COOR-Iosco Great Start Collaborative to raise \$100,000 in non-federal support for the last four years of the grant period.

Federal funds will be supplied for a five year period based on continued availability of funding at the federal level, ability to raise matching funds, and the program showing its effectiveness by reaching established performance-based goals.

The grant award was one of only eight awarded nationwide, with other awards being made in large urban areas including Chicago, Los Angeles and Boston.

Ruggero Dozzi, Director Education Special Services for COOR-ISD, said they were thrilled to receive notice of this grant award. "It is wonderful to get federal money awarded in northern Michigan and these dollars will allow us to provide a program with a strong, proven record of success to children and their families," said Dozzi.

Doctors, nurse practitioners, and other medical professionals incorporate Reach Out and Read's evidencebased model into regular pediatric checkups, by advising parents about the importance of reading aloud and developmentallygiving appropriate books to children. The program begins at the six month checkup and continues through age five, with a special emphasis on children growing up in lowincome communities. Families served by Reach Out and Read read together more often, and their children enter kindergarten with larger vocabularies and stronger language skills, better prepared to achieve their poten-

The second grant award also involves federal funds that have been awarded to the Early Childhood Investment Corporation (ECIC), which have been awarded to 35 Great Start collaboratives statewide to establish a Great Start Early Childhood Fund.

This grant provides up to \$100,000 in federal American Reinvestment and Recovery Act (ARRA) dollars to provide stipends to low-income families so that they can have their child attend quality educational childcare and preschool prior to entering public school.

"All of the current research in early childhood education points to the importance of children having a structured learning and social environment prior to entering Kindergarten," stated Hesse. "When kids have two full years of social and educational activities in childcare or preschool settings, they enter Kindergarten ready and excited about learning and able to interact positively in public school classroom settings. This sets them on a strong path to do well in school, score higher on standardized tests, and remain in school with a lower incidence of behavioral concerns than the kids who haven't had the opportunity for pre-K involvement," added Hesse.

The federal government requires that their portion of the grant award be used solely for the purpose of providing financial assistance to access

childcare/preschool to lowincome families at or below 200% of poverty with children three years of age by

Dec. 1. The grant will provide up to a total of \$5400 for a 12-month period for a qualifying child to attend up to a full-day five, childcare/preschool program.

The grant has a cash match requirement of 1:1, meaning that for every dollar that the Great Start Early Childhood Fund receives from the federal government, they must raise one dollar in matching funds. "If we want to receive the full \$100,000, then we must raise an additional \$100,000," said Hesse. "We have started a strong solicitation program within all of our five counties to generate these funds that includes requests for funding to local United Ways, Community Foundations, local service and fraternal organizations, and numerous larger grant requests to Michigan-based foundations that are interested in funding early childhood programs. We are confident that we will generate the required matching funds, but we need the community's help to do it," added Hesse.

The matching funds for this grant will be used to provide additional childcare scholarships and help to expand the number of childcare facilities that we currently have in our communities. We have a serious shortage of available childcare/preschool programs in the COOR-losco area. A portion of these funds will address this issue by assisting those interested in opening a group childcare home to move forward with their plans to do so.

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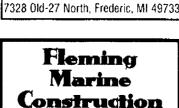
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GHS sprinter takes 10th at state finals

Four runners from Grayling High School's girls track team recently competed at the state finals, posting a 10th place finish in the 200m dash and a DQ in the 400m relay. The state meet was held on June 4 at Comstock Park.

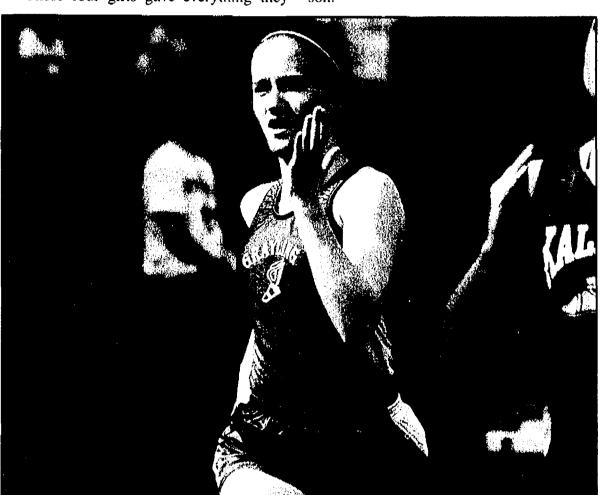
Shanley Dorn posted a time of 26.65 in the 200m dash at the state meet, a new school record in the event. She took 10th place.

Grayling's 4x100m relay group - Dorn, Aleeshia Allison, Stanna Dorn, and Samantha Hansen - did not finish the event at the state finals due to an exchange zone violation.

"These four girls gave everything they

had all season long and this was a tough way to go out. They have run this relay to near perfection the last two years and today they were pushing the limits to earn another podium finish," Coach Tim Gariglio said.

"They were in the same situation as last year in the third of four heats and they had to blow the doors off of the other teams in their heat to get a shot for top eight. They were in the lead when the violations occurred; however, they had to push the limits and they did and didn't make the connection," Coach Gariglio said. "They had a great season and I know this will make them want it even more for next season."



Shanley Dorn, who placed 10th at the state finals, runs in the 200m dash during regionals.

Grayling Country Club News

by Donna Thomson

Wednesday Ladies League

What a difference a day makes, or in this case a week. On Wednesday, June 8, our day was extremely hot, but golfing in the morning did help a bit. Prior to our play, Sherry Hanson handed out our playbooks for the season and it was, as usual, a job well done.

In our regular play this week in Flight A, Shelly Cohee had a low net of 33 and Donna Thomson had low putts of 13.

In Flight B, Judy Williamson had a low net of 31, and Diana Doremire had low putts of 14.

In Flight C, there was a tie for low net of 40 between Nancy Hoffman and Pat Kennedy while Rhea Gierke had low putts of 15.

There was a special "game of the day" today of Three Blind Holes chosen by the golf committee and that was won by Marilyn Hartman and Donna Thomson, so we split that prize and after my article last week about having a drought of chip-ins or birdies, Shirley Young had a

chip-in on#1 and Marilyn Hartman had a birdie on #7. as did Donna Thomson on

Had a nice lunch of a cottage cheese fruit plate or a taco salad.

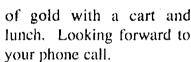
Next Lynda Hetrick our "Play for Pink" chairperson asked for volunteers to help on that day. So far Juanita Brown, Shelly Cohee and Deb Periard are taking care of prizes. Mo McNamara, special mailings, Nancy Hoffman and committee, inside decorating and Char-Clark offered to help me outside with decorating outing. A sheet was passed around for people to bring in appetizers. I know there were more who offered, but I will include them in a later article.

To those of you reading this, and are not a member or in our league, please set aside June 29 to play and either round up your own team of four or let us know and we will put a team together for you. If you are a member of the Grayling Country Club the fee is \$30 and non-members \$55. This includes \$20 for breast cancer, the rest for 18 holes

by Roxanne James

Tuesday Ladies League

It was a very warm morning for the Tuesday Morning Ladies Golf League at Grayling Country Club. Just the same, we all played and had a great time. The McNamara twins, Katie and Bev, ended up with less for the day but still are holding first place. Deb Bonkoski and Mickey Perez are in second place with Wendy Kucharek and Sandy Winkle closely behind. Katie had the low putts for the day and a skin to win. Linda Fouts, Carlene McMurtrie, and Roxanne James each took a skin as well. We had the honor of Nancy Glasslee subbing for Wendy for the day. If you are interested in playing on a 18-hole golf league, come join us.



Needless to say, because of the heat, we all went home to cool down, so until next week, that's all "fore"





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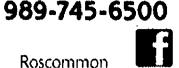
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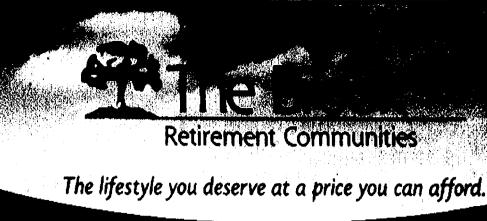
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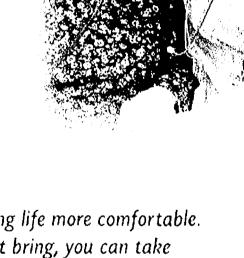


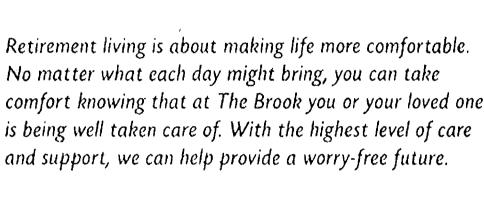
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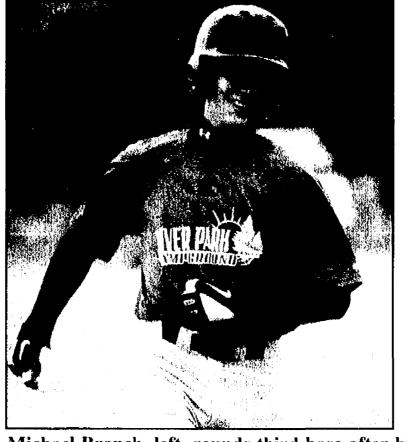
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Michael Branch, left, rounds third base after hitting a home run vs. Roscommon on Thursday night. Gunner Metzer, right, bats for Grayling's junior league team.





Shortstop Scout Tobin, left, throws to first base on Thursday vs. Roscommon. Second baseman Dallas Johnson, right, fields a grounder on Thursday night.

Grayling Little League

Junior Baseball (13-14)

Grayling Little League's junior league (ages 13-14) baseball team edged Roscommon 9-8 in extra innings on Thursday, improving the squad's overall record to 7-2. The contest was played at Grayling High School's baseball field.

Grayling led 1-0 at the end of the first inning, scoring its one run on a solo homer by Michael Branch

homer by Michael Branch.

Neither squad scored a

run in the second inning.

Roscommon reached base on an error and scored on a passed ball, tying the contest at 1-1 in the top of the third.

In the top of the fourth inning, Roscommon scored four more runs, capitalizing on two Grayling errors and a passed ball after hitting two one-out singles to get the inning going. Roscommon led 5-1.

Branch led off the bottom of the fourth with a triple and scored on an RBI-single by Justice Junttila. Junttila scored on a pick-off play. Grayling trailed 5-3 going into the fifth inning.

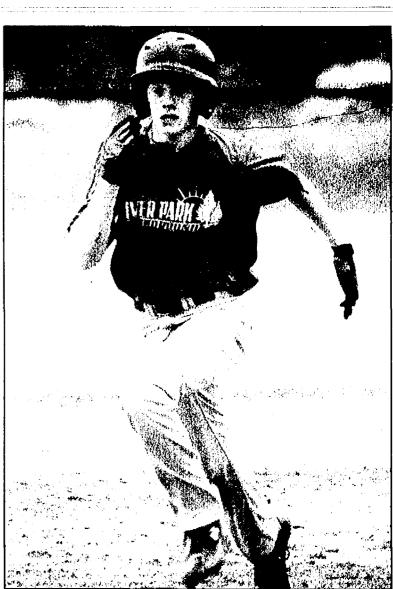
Grayling scored five runs in the bottom of the fifth inning to take an 8-5 lead. Zack Cheney drew a oneout walk. Darin Nicholas singled to center. Cheney and Nicholas both scored on a single by Branch, tying the score at 5-5. Junttila singled. Scout Tobin drove in Branch, Brandon Kowalski walked. Gunner Metzer reached base on an error and Junttila scored on the play. Tobin scored on a passed ball for Grayling's eighth run of the contest.

Roscommon scored three times in the top of the sixth to tie the game at 8-8. The lead-off batter walked, stole second, took third on a passed ball, and scored on an error. Another walk and a series of mistakes led to another run.

With no outs in the top of the sixth inning Grayling switched pitchers, going from Branch to Junttila. Branch finished with eight strikeouts, allowing only

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Zack Cheney runs from second base to third for Grayling on Thursday vs. Roscommon.

three hits in five innings.

Roscommon scored one more run in the top of the sixth on a throwing error, tying the game at 8-8.

Nicholas singled to start the bottom of the sixth for Grayling. The next two batters flied out. Nicholas stole second and Tobin walked. A strikeout ended the inning.

The score was tied at 8-8 going into the seventh (final) inning.

Grayling's defense posted a one-two-three inning, getting a strikeout and two outs on grounders.

Metzer led off the bottom of the seventh with a walk. He stole second. The next

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two batters struck out. Metzer stole third, but a ground ball to the pitcher ended the inning.

The game moved into extra innings.

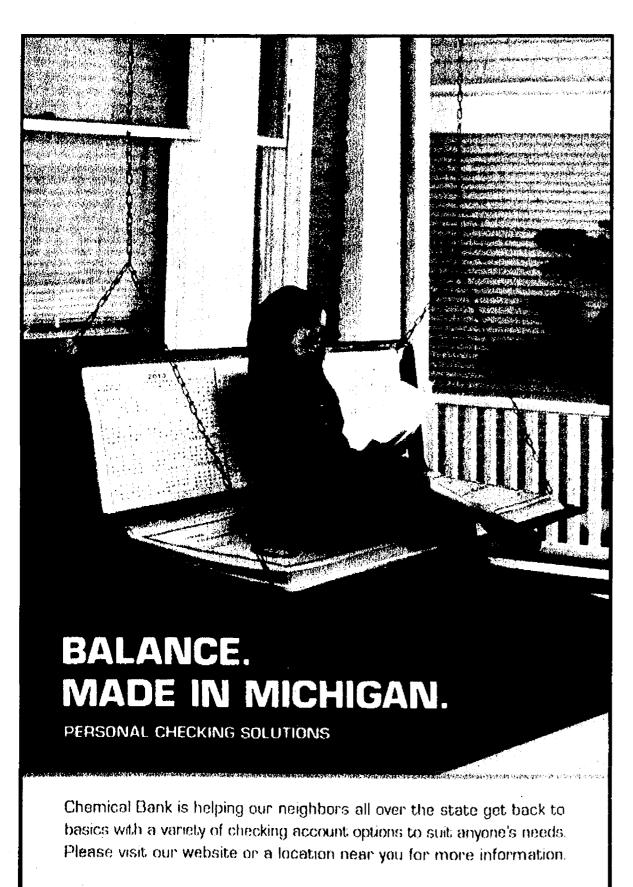
Roscommon drew a leadoff walk but Grayling got the next three batters out (fly out to second, strikeout, ground ball to the pitcher).

Branch doubled with one out in the bottom of the eighth inning. Junttila singled to drive in Branch, ending the game. Grayling won 9-8

Junttila, pitching in relief, struck out four batters and didn't allow a hit.

"Way too many errors, but to still come out ahead is something to say for their character," Coach Dale Metzer said

Metzer said.
On offense, Branch hit for the cycle (single, double, triple, home run), going 4 for 5 with three RBIs and four runs scored. Junttila was 4 for 5 (one double) with two RBIs and two runs scored. Nicholas was 2 for 3 with one run scored.



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Runners leave the starting line during the beginning of the 2011 Hanson Hills Challenge Trail Run on Saturday, June 4.

Runners compete in 5-mile race at Hanson Hills

Approximately 30 runners competed in Grayling Recreation Authority's (GRA) annual Hanson Hills Challenge Trail Run – a five-mile race – at Hanson Hills Recreation Area on Saturday, June 4.

Twenty-seven runners finished the race. Justin Andre, Director of Operations for GRA, said this year's turnout was "about normal" but the group consisted of more unfamiliar competitors than usual.

"Right around 30 people, that's average," Andre said.

"A lot of new faces in this race, about 90 percent new people, which is odd, but it's good. We're drawing people from all over the state."

Andre described the fivemile course for this year's Hanson Hills Challenge Trail Run as a "hilly twotrack through the woods. It's a nice course."

Jason Drudge (male 20-29), with a final time of 0:28:13, was the overall winner for the men's division. Samara Sabin (female 30-39) won the women's division with a time of

Other results, by age division (courtesy of GRA), are as follows: (men's 20-29) Jacob Boone, 0:35:02; Ryan Harris, 0:35:20; Martin Tubbs, 0:41:35; Frank Siemienski, 0:43:47; (women's 20-29) Shawna Goodhue, 1:08:59; (men's 30-39) Bob Smith, 0:36:25; Christo Miner, 0:38:34; William Weeks, 0:59:28; (women's 30-39) Tina Mickelson 0:50:33; Jessie Boomer, 0:59:29; Kate Wooer, 1:07:41; (men's 40-

0:30:28; Todd 0:48:43; Riley McNamara, 0:48:44; (women's 40-49) Dawn Campbell, 0:45:43; Lynda Dast, 0:48:51; Peggy Watson, 0:55:45; 50-59) Steve Greg 0:33:34; 0:36:34; Scott Feldhauser, 0:46:21; Steve Anderson, 0:47:00; Eduardo Sibils, 0:47:58; Roy Pilon, 0:57:00.

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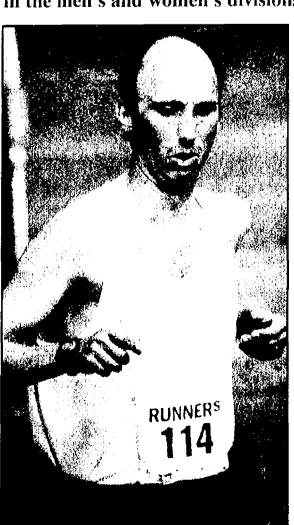
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Jason Drudge, left, and Samara Sabin, right, finish the Hanson Hills Challenge Trail Run on June 4. Drudge and Sabin finished first overall in the men's and women's divisions, respectively.





Jim Harrington, left, and Dawn Campbell, right, finish second overall in the men's and women's divisions, respectively.

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Riders in the "expert" 30-39 age division begin the first of their three laps during the Hanson Hills Challenge on Sunday, June 5.

Local race series features hundreds of cyclists

Hanson Challenge – a series of bicycle races coordinated by Fun Promotions LLC and Grayling Authority Recreation (GRA) at Hanson Hills on Sunday, June 6 - featured hundreds of cyclists competing in a variety of divisions.

The races featured an 11mile course that Justin Andre, Director Operations for GRA, described as "single track (and) hilly," with "a little bit of everything."

The "elite" and "expert" classes did three laps, the "sport" class did two, and "beginner" one.

Temperatures for the day's races were high.

"Luckily most of it's out in the shade," Andre said.

Andre said he was expecting more than 300 riders, "mostly from out of town."

The race – set up through Fun Promotions LLC, a group that organizes a variety of bicycle and snowmobile events throughout the year - was part of the Michigan Cup Endurance Series. Michigan Cup riders accumulate points through-



Jorden Wakeley leads the "elite" men's division at the end of the first of three laps during the Hanson Hills Challenge on June 5.

out the season by competing in the series' races, with winners being announced by age division at the end of

Promotions' list of results, 235 competitors raced in Sunday's event. A complete list of results for the Hanson

According to Fun Hills Challenge is available the Internet: http://www.funpromotions.c om/cross_country_mountain_bike_results.htm.





Competitors from the "expert" 30-39 division, left, and the "expert" 50+ division, right, round a turn near the end of the first lap.



Riders in the "expert" 40-49 age division leave the starting line during the 2011 Hanson Hills Challenge on June 5.

Legal Action

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD FILE NO. 11-8441-CH

PATRICIA A. SAJDAK Plaintiff,

CDC & COMPANY, INC. d/b/a/ Ted's Canadian Steak & Fish Company, a Michigan Corporation; and STATE OF MICHIGAN. DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY-COLLECTIONS: and STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPART-MENT OF ENERGY, LABOR & ECONOMIC GROWTH-UNEM-PLOYMENT INSURANCE AGENCY; and STATE OF MICHIGAN, DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, LABOR & ECONOMIC GROWTH, LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION; and RANDY THOMPSON; and UNITED STATES OF AMERICA **DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY-**INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

John E. Rosczyk (P22847) Attorney for Plaintiff P.O. Box 535 Roscommon, MI 48653 (989) 275-8966

Defendants.

ORDER TO ANSWER

At a session of said Court held at the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, Michigan on the 24th day of May, 2011. PRESENT: Honorable Dennis F. Murphy (P31907) Circuit Court Judge

On the 21st day of April, 2011, an action was filed by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants, requesting Foreclosure of a Land Contract and other relief.

A Verified Motion for Order of Publication has been filed by the attorney for the Plaintiff in this matter, attesting to the fact that he is unable to effectuate service upon CDC & Company, Inc., by Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested and further that he has made sufficient inquiry to determine a proper address where said Defendant can be served. Said efforts have not been successful.

Since service upon said Defendant, CDC & Company, Inc., cannot otherwise be effectuated, and it appearing to the Court that said Defendant can best be appraised of the pendency of this action by publication of an Order in a newspaper,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, CDC & Company, Inc., d/b/a/ Ted's Canadian Steak & Fish Company, a Michigan Corporation, shall serve their answer on John E. Rosczyk, Attorney at Law for the Plaintiff, whose address is P.O. Box 535, Roscommon, MI 48653, or take such other action permitted by law, on or before July 10, 2011. Failure to comply with this order may result in a Judgement by Default against said Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order be published once each week, for three consecutive weeks, in a newspaper circulating within Crawford County.

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Honorable Dennis F. Murphy (P31907) Circuit Court Judge -9-16-23

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Steve Corts at (800) 336-2328.

You may contact a Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) approved housing counselor by visiting the MSHDA website at www.michigan.gov/mshda or: by calling (517) 373-8370. If you request a meeting with Steve Corts during the fourteen (14) day period that begins on the date the Notice is mailed to you, foreclosure proceedings on the property will not begin until 90 days after the date on which the Notice is mailed to you. If you and Steve Corts reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the modification agreement. You have the right to contact an attorney. The telephone number of the State Bar of Michigan's Lawyer Referral Service is (800) .968-0738.

NORTHLAND AREA FEDERAL CREDIT UNION 4346 East F-41, P.O. Box 519, Oscoda, Michigan 48750 (800) 336-2328

THE LAW OFFICES OF WEN-ZLOFF & WENZLOFF, P.L.C. PAUL E. WENZLOFF (P27662) Attorney for Mortgage Holder 903 North Jackson Street Bay City, Michigan 48708-5953 (989) 893-9511

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NOTICE PER PUBLIC ACT 30 OF 2009

ATTENTION: Joseph L. Johnson Barbara J. Johnson

REGARDING: the property at: 4947 Dawn Dr. Grayling, MI 49738-8646

Pursuant to MCL 600,3205a(4) you are hereby notified of the following

You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder/servicer by contacting the person named below. You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Authority Development ("MSHDA") website http://www.mshda.info/counseling search/ or calling (866) 946-7432. The person who has the authority on behalf of your mortgage holder or servicer to make arrangements to modify your mortgage under MCL 600.3205b and MCL 600.3205c is:

David E. Edge, Asst. Vice President and Collections Manager Northwestern Bank 625 S. Garfield Ave., P.O. Box 809 Traverse City, MI 49685-0809 Phone number (800) 968-4754

If you timely request such a meeting, foreclosure proceedings will not commence for at least 90 days after the notice required by MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed to you. If you and the person named above are able to work out a modification of your mortgage loan, and you abide by the terms of the modification agreement, your mortgage will not be foreclosed.

You have the right to contact an attorney, and you can obtain attorney contact information through the State Bar of Michigan's Lawyer Referral Service at (800) 968-0738.

NOTICE

AS A DEBT COLLECTOR, WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COL-LECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PUR-POSE. NOTIFY US AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Muhannad Zaitouna and Haba Zaitouna, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to Washington Mutual Bank, FA, Mortgagee, dated the 24th day of October, 2006 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for The County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 31st day of October, 2006 in Liber 683 of Crawford County Records, page 952, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of One Hundred Fifty One Thousand One Hundred Eighty Six and 86/100 (\$151186.86), and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of July, 2011 at 10:00 o'clock AM Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door to the County Bldg. in Grayling MI (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at 8.0500% per annum and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which

said premises are described as fol-

lows: All that certain piece or parcel

of land, including any and all structures, and homes, manufactured or otherwise, located thereon, situated in the Township of South Branch, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Part of the East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 27, Town 25 North, Range 1 West, commencing at the Southeast corner of said Section 27; thence North 00 degrees 41 minutes 34 seconds West along the East Section line 1927.56 feet for a point of beginning; thence continuing North 00 degrees 41 minutes 34 seconds West 330.00 feet; thence North 87 degrees 34 minutes 22 seconds West 1320.65 feet to the East 1/8 line; thence South 00 degrees 16 minutes 06 seconds East along said 1/8 line 330.00 feet; thence South 87 degrees 34 minutes 28 seconds East 1320.50 feet to the point of beginning. During the twelve (12) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, except that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during 30 days immediately following the sale. Dated: 6/9/2011 JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, successor in interest by purchase from the FDIC as Receiver of Washington Mutual Bank f/k/a Washington Mutual Bank, FA Mortgagee

FABRIZIO & BROOK, P.C. Attorney for JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, successor in interest by purchase from the FDIC as Receiver of Washington Mutual Bank f/k/a Washington Mutual Bank, FA 888 W. Big Beaver, Suite 800 Troy, Ml 48084 248-362-2600 WAMU ZaitounaM

-9-16-23-3 **NOTICE**

FORECLOSURE NOTICE In the event this property is claimed as a principal residence exempt from tax under section 7cc of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL .7cc please contact our office at (248) 844-5123. This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. MORTGAGE SALE -Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Douglas D. Smith, a Single Man to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for NovaStar Mortgage, Inc., its successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated January 11, 2007 and recorded February 6, 2007 in Liber 685 Page 200 Crawford County Records, Michigan Said mortgage was assigned to: Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for NovaStar Mortgage Funding Trust, Series 2007-1, by assignment dated December 16, 2009 and recorded December 22, 2009 in Liber 698, Page 507, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-Three Dollars and Fifty-Five Cents (\$77,723.55) including interest 11.6% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, Circuit Court of Crawford County at 10:00AM on July 13, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: The East 190 feet of the West 690 feet of the South one half of the West three quarters of the Southeast one quarter of the Southwest one quarter of Section 33, Range 2 West, Town 25 North. Commonly known as 2379 E Michigan Hwy, Roscommon MI 48653 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: 6/09/2011 Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for NovaStar Mortgage Funding Trust, Series 2007-1, Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-40843 ASAP# 4014493 06/09/2011, 06/16/2011,

06/23/2011, 06/30/2011 -9-16-23-30 **NOTICE**

IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY IN BANKRUPTCY OR HAVE RECEIVED A DISCHARGE IN BANKRUPTCY AS TO THIS OBLIGATION, THIS COMMUNI-CATION IS INTENDED FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT IN VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY OR THE DISCHARGE INJUNCTION, IN SUCH CASE, PLEASE DISRE-GARD ANY PART OF THIS COMMUNICATION WHICH IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE FOREGOING. OTHERWISE, FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES US TO ADVISE YOU THAT COM-MUNICATION FROM OUR OFFICE COULD BE INTER-PRETED AS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND THAT **INFORMATION** ANY **OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR**

THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE

NOW ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY OR HAVE BEEN IN THE PRIOR NINE MONTHS, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AS YOU MAYBE ENTITLED TO THE BENEFITS OF THE SERVICEMEMBERS' CIVIL RELIEF ACT. THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE YOUR HOME TO: David C. Moggo and Carol A. Moggo

3386 Chase Bridge Road Grayling, MI 49738 County Crawford

State law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is: Orlans Associates, P.C Loss Mitigation Department, P.O. Box 5041, Troy, M1 48007-5041, (248) 502-1331.

You may contact a housing coun-

selor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority ("MSHDA") website or by calling MSHDA. The website address and telephone number of MSHDA is: (www.mshda.info/counseling_sear ch/), telephone (517) 373-8370, TTY# 1-800-382-4568. If you request a meeting with the

after the Notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the Notice was mailed to you. If you and the servicer's Designate reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the agreement.

You have the right to contact an attorney. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service is 1-800-968-0738. Dated: June 16, 2011

Orlans Associates P.C Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File Number: 356.4331

NOTICE

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY OR IF YOU ARE IN BANKRUPTCY.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William L. Middleton and Pamela J. Middleton, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated February 1, 2005 and recorded February 9, 2005 in Liber 673, Page 746, Crawford County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by GMAC Mortgage, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty-Five Thousand Two Hundred Sixty-Eight and 7/100 Dollars (\$35,268.07) includ-

ing interest at 6% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the front door of the County Building in Grayling in Crawford County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 29, 2011.

Said premises are located in the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are

described as:
A piece of parcel of land bounded by and included within a line commencing at the South 1/4 post of Section 33; Town 27 North, Range 2 West and running thence North on the 1/4 line of said Section a distance of 20 Rods; thence West 7 Rods; thence South 20 Rods to the South Section line of said Section, thence East on Section line 7 Rods to the place of beginning. Township of Grayling, Crawford County,

Michigan. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: May 26, 2011 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File No. 618.4375

-26-2-9-16 **NOTICE**

IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY IN BANKRUPTCY OR HAVE RECEIVED A DISCHARGE IN BANKRUPTCY AS TO THIS OBLIGATION, THIS COMMUNI-CATION IS INTENDED FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT IN VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY OR THE DISCHARGE INJUNCTION. IN SUCH CASE, PLEASE DISRE-GARD ANY PART OF THIS COMMUNICATION WHICH IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE FOREGOING. OTHERWISE.

FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES US TO ADVISE YOU THAT COM-MUNICATION FROM OUR OFFICE COULD BE INTER-PRETED AS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND THAT ANY **INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR** THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE NOW ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY OR HAVE BEEN IN THE PRIOR NINE MONTHS, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AS YOU MAYBE ENTITLED TO THE BENEFITS OF THE SER-VICE MEMBERS' CIVIL RELIEF ACT. THIS IS AN OPPORTUNI-TY TO SAVE YOUR HOME To: Tom Henry Kirk and Kellie Ann

Mantua - Kirk 6424 Lutz Lanc Grayling, MI 49738 County Crawford

State law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is: Orlans Associates, P.C. Loss Mitigation Department, P.O. Box 5041, Troy, MI 48007-5041, (248) 502-1331.

You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority ("MSHDA") website or by calling MSHDA. The website address and telephone number of MSHDA is: (www.mshda.info/counseling_sear ch/), telephone (517) 373-8370, TTY# 1-800-382-4568.

If you request a meeting with the servicer's designate within 14 days after the Notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the Notice was mailed to you. If you and the servicer's Designate reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the agreement.

You have the right to contact an attorney. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service is 1-800-968-0738. Dated: June 16, 2011 Orlans Associates P.C.

Orlans Associates P.C Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File Number: 200.6103

NOTICE

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE - (CRAWFORD COUN-TY) O'REILLY RANCILIO P.C. 12900 Hall Rd., Ste. 350 Sterling Heights, MI 48313 THIS FIRM IS DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Stephen W. Southard and Cecilia L. Southard, Husband and Wife, Mortgagors, to Citizen Bank, Mortgagee, dated February 11, 2002, and recorded on March 28, 2002, in Liber 574, Page 574, Crawford County Records, and assigned by said mortgagee to Knight Enterprises, Inc., a Michigan corporation, by assignment dated March 31, 2011, and recorded on April 6, 2011, in Liber 704, Page 165, Crawford County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Forty Five Thousand Nine Hundred Three and 66/100 (\$45,903.66) Dollars, including principal, late charges and interest at 12% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County at 10:00 o'clock AM on June 29, 2011. Said premises are situated in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, and are described as: Parcel 1 The Southwesterly 36 feet of Lot 1, Block 18, Original Plat of the Village (now City) of Grayling, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 2, Crawford County Records, Parcel 2 The Southwesterly 70 feet of Lot 11 and all of Lot 12, Block 18, Original Plat of the Village (Now City) of Grayling, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 2, Crawford County Records. ALSO all that land lying between said Lots 11 and 12 and the right-of-way of I-75 Business Loop, Block 18, Original Plat of the Village (Now City) of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan. Commonly known as 205 Ingham St and 204 Cedar St. Tax Item No. 070-100-018-001-01 and 070-100-018-012-00 The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale. Dated: May 26, 2011 Knight Enterprises, Inc., Mortgagee O'REILLY RANCILIO P.C. Attorneys for Mortgagee 12900 Hall Road, Suite 350 Sterling Heights, MI 48313-1151 Attn; John D. Bartley Telephone: (586) 726-

NOTICE

FORECLOSURE NOTICE (ALL COUNTIES) AS A DEBT COLLECTOR, WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NOTIFY (248) 362-6100 IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

-26-2-9-16

MORTGAGE SALE - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Carole Eckardt, unmarried of Crawford County, Michigan, Mortgagor to The Huntington National Bank dated the 14th day of May, 2010, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 3rd day of June, 2010, in Liber 700, Page 695 of Crawford Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal of \$64,943.20 (sixty-four thousand nine hundred forty-three and 20/100) plus accrued interest at 4.04% (four point zero four) percent per annum. And no suit proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on, the 29th day of June, 2011, at 10:00:00 AM said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door to the County Bldg in Grayling, MI, Crawford County, Michigan, of the premises described in said mortgage. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Grayling, in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan: Lots 21 and 22, AUSABLE PINES, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 60 Crawford County Records, Commonly known as: 305 South Stephan Bridge Road Tax Parcel No.: 040-45-100-00-022-00 The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated: May 26, 2011 By: Michael I. Rich (P-41938) Attorney for Plaintiff Weltman, Weinberg, and Reis 2155 Butterfield Drive Suite 200-S Troy, MI 48084 WWR# 10066506

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FORECLOSURE NOTICE

In the event this property is claimed

as a principal residence exempt from tax under section 7cc of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL .7cc please contact our office at (248) 844-5123. This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Michael D West, a Single Man to Option One Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated January 12, 2005 and recorded January 24, 2005 in Liber 673 Page 469 Crawford County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned to: U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Structured Asset Investment Loan Trust, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-4, by assignment dated May 25, 2011 and recorded May 31, 2011 in Liber 705, Page 230, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand Seventy-One Dollars and Sixty-Seven Cents (\$126,071.67) including interest 5.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, Circuit Court of Crawford County at 10:00AM on July 13, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: The West one half of the Southeast one quarter of the Southwest one quarter of Section 1, Town 26 North, Range 3 West, except the South one half of the South one half of the West one half of the West one half of the Southeast one quarter of the Southwest one quarter of Section 1, Town 26 North, Range 3 West. Commonly known as 650 Richardson Rd., Grayling MI 49738 The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: 6/09/2011 U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Structured Asset Investment Loan Trust, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates. Series 2005-4. Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester

Our File No: 11-40311 -9-16-23-30

Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123

Legal Action

Notice Mortgage **Forciosure**

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLEC-TOR ATTEMPTING TO COL-LECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE -USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER **BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE** MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Ron Thomson and Rhonda Thomson, Husband and Wife, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registrations Systems, Inc., as nominee for Citizens Bank its successors and assigns., Mortgagee, dated June 10, 2004, and recorded on July 20, 2004 in Liber 670 on Page 186, and modified by Affidavit or Order recorded on November 4, 2005 in Liber 678 on Page 294, and modified by Affidavit or Order recorded on March 7, 2006 in Liber 680 on Page 112, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Chase Home Finance LLC as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Eight and 65/100 Dollars (\$207,708.65), including interest at 5.5% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on July 13, 2011.

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 28 and part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 27, Town 27 North, Range 3 West, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of said Section 27, and proceeding thence South 89 degrees 39 minutes 00 seconds East along the North line of Section 27, 1329.75 feet to the West 1/8 line; Thence South 00 degrees 43 minutes 01 second West along West 1/8 line 1930.12 feet; Thence South 69 degrees 52 minutes 13 seconds West 1406.18 feet along the Southerly line of lots 149 through 158 of Plats, of Ausable Woods No. 5, recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 45, Crawford County Records; Thence South 27 degrees 26 minutes 11 seconds East 557.00 feet to the point of beginning of land herein described; Thence South 27 degrees 26 minutes 11 East 169.01 feet to the Northeasterly corner of Lot 182 of said Plat of Ausable Woods No. 5; Thence South 52 degrees 56 minutes 49 seconds West 300.00 feet to the Northeasterly corner of Lot 180; Thence North 37 degrees 03 minutes 11 seconds West 437.39 feet to a point in the centerline of an existing Trail Road; Thence North 45 degrees 27 minutes 00 seconds East along the centerline of said Trail Road 201.48 feet; Thence South 60 degrees 26 minutes 33 seconds East and departing from said Trail Road 323.64 feet to the point of beginning. Also the use of and subject to a 66.00 foot Easement for Ingress and Egress whose centerline is the centerline of the existing Trail Road through the West 1/2 of Northwest 1/4 of Section 27 and the East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 28, Town 27 North, Range 3 West.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600,3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 9, 2011 For more information, please call: FC S (248) 593-1304 Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200

Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525

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-9-16-23-301/8 line; Thence South 00 degrees 43 minutes 01 second West along West 1/8 line 1930.12 feet; Thence South 69 degrees 52 minutes 13 seconds West 1406.18 feet along the Southerly line of lots 149 through 158 of Plats, of Ausable Woods No. 5, recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 45,

Crawford County Records; Thence South 27 degrees 26 minutes 11 seconds East 557.00 feet to the MILITARY DUTY. point of beginning of land herein ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale

described; Thence South 27 degrees 26 minutes 11 East 169,01 feet to the Northeasterly corner of Lot 182 of said Plat of Ausable Woods No. 5; Thence South 52 degrees 56 minutes 49 seconds

West 300.00 feet to the Northeasterly corner of Lot 180; Thence North 37 degrees 03 minutes 11 seconds West 437.39 feet to a point in the centerline of an existing Trail Road; Thence North 45 degrees 27 minutes 00 seconds

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and subject to a 66.00 foot Easement for Ingress and Egress whose centerline is the centerline of the existing Trail Road through the West 1/2 of Northwest 1/4 of Section 27 and the East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 28, Town

27 North, Range 3 West. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of

such sale. Dated: June 9, 2011 For more information, please call: FC S (248) 593-1304

Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway,

Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File #349551F01

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLEC-TOR ATTEMPTING TO COL-LECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Sarah A Nierman aka Sally Nierman an unmarried woman, original mortgagor(s), to Independent Mortgage Company, Mortgagee, dated October 27, 2009, and recorded on November 4, 2009 in Liber 697 on Page 972, in Crawford county records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Independent Bank as assignee, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand One Hundred Thirty-Six and 42/100 Dollars (\$123,136,42), including interest at 5.25% per

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on July 6, 2011.

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 3, of Fawn Wood Condominium,

Condominium establishment pursuant to the Master Deed thereof, as recorded in Liber 606, Pages 47 through 90, inclusive Crawford County Records, also being known as Crawford County Condominium Subdivision Plan No. 10, together with rights in the general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed and Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of

such sale, Dated: June 2, 2011 For more information, please call: FC F (248) 593-1313

Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-

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Notice of Mortgage **Foreclosure**

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLEC-TOR ATTEMPTING TO COL-LECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER **BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE** may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Laurence Smith and Marva J Smith husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc., Mortgagee, dated May 31, 2001, and recorded on July 26, 2001 in Liber 544 on Page 460, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixty-Five Thousand One Hundred Ninety-Four and 39/100 Dollars (\$65,194.39), including interest at 7.875% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on July 6, 2011.

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 79, Au Sable Woods Plat No. 3, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 9, Crawford County

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 2, 2011 For more information, please call: FC C (248) 593-1301 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway,

Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-

File #372664F012

-2-9-16-23 Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William F. Dezomits and Laurie D. Dezomits, husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, Mortgagee, dated January 25, 2008, and recorded on February 5, 2008 in Liber 690 on Page 179, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Eleven Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Three and 95/100 Dollars (\$111,153.95), including

interest at 6.25% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on July 20, 2011. Said premises are situated in Township of Beaver Creek, Crawford County, Michigan, and

are described as: Parcel E-2; Part of the South 3/4 of the West 1/2 of the East 1/2 of Section 6, Town 25 North, Range 3 West, Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan: Commencing at the South 1/4 corner of said Section 6; thence North 0 degrees 24 minutes East (along the North and South 1/4 line), 638.9 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing North 0 degrees 24 minutes East, 397.0 feet; thence North 89 degrees 05 minutes 30 seconds East, 658.51 feet; thence South 0 degrees 24 minutes 30 seconds West, 397.0 feet; thence South 89 degrees 05 minutes 30 seconds West, 658.40 feet to the point of beginning. Also use of and subject to a 66 foot road and utility easement lying 33 feet each side of a line described as: Commencing at the South 1/4 corner of Section 6, Town 25 North, Range 3 West; thence North 89 degrees 04 minutes 40 seconds East (along the Section line), 658.2 feet to the point of beginning; thence North 0 degrees 24 minutes 30 seconds East, 3948.29 feet to the point

said Section 6. The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of

of ending on the North 1/8 line of

Dated: June 16, 2011 For more information, please call: FC S (248) 593-1304 Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-

File #370864F01

-16-23-30-7

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has

been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Roy C. VanLuchene, a single man, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Plus (Michigan) Inc., Mortgagee, dated July 10, 2007, and recorded on July 16, 2007 in Liber 687 on Page 625, and assigned by mesne assignments to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Two and 94/100 Dollars (\$100,622.94), including interest at 7.25% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on July 20, 2011.

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 16, Block 2, Karen Woods Subdivision, Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 44, Crawford County Records.

AND ALSO PARCEL A, the Southwest 1/2 of Lot 17, Block 2, Woods Subdivision, Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 44, Crawford County Records, as shown on Certificate of Survey recorded in Liber 140, Page 494, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 16, 2011 For more information, please call: FC S (248) 593-1304

Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-

File #368276F01

-16-23-30-7 **MORTGAGE**

This is an attempt to collect a debt, and any information obtained

SALE

will be used for that purpose. Default has occurred in the conditions of a mortgage made by MICHAEL C. SCOTT, a single person, and CHARLES H. SCOTT, JR. and DONNA M. SCOTT, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GAYLORD, now known as INDE-PENDENT BANK, having its principal office at 4200 East Beltline, Grand Rapids, MI 49525, Mortgagee, dated October 30, 2002 and recorded November 6, 2002 in Liber 606 of Mortgages, Page 19. By reason of such default the undersigned elects to declare the entire unpaid amount of said mortgage due and payable forthwith.

At the date of this Notice there is claimed to be due for principal and interest on said mortgage the sum of FIFTY TWO THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FIFTY THREE AND 95/100 (\$52,353.95) dollars, including interest at the rate of 6.125% per annum. No suit or proceeding at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided and to pay said amount with interest as provided in said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including attorney fees allowed by law, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the

mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder at the lobby of the Crawford County Courthouse, 200 W. Michigan Avenue, the place of holding the Circuit Court within the County of Crawford, City of Grayling, Michigan, on July 13, 2011, at 10:00 a.m., local time.

Pursuant to Public Act No. 104, Public Acts of 1971 [MCLA 600.3240(8), MSA 27A.3240(8)] the redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of the foreclosure sale, unless the property is determined to be abandoned under 600.3241a; MCLA 27A.3241(1), in which case the property may be redeemed during the 30 days immediately following the sale.

The premises covered by said mortgage are situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit:

The South 1/2 of the East 5 acres of the North 10 acres of the South 15 acres of the North 20 acres of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 8, Town 26 North, Range 2 West.

INDEPENDENT BANK, f/k/a FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF **GAYLORD** Mortgagee

SCHENK, BONCHER & RYPMA Gary P. Schenk P19970 601 Three Mile Road, N.W. Grand Rapids, MI 49544-1601 (616) 647-8277

-2-9-16-23

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Arlene M. Miller, An Unmarried Woman, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated November 13, 2003, and recorded on November 24, 2003 in Liber 659 on Page 455, and assigned by said Mortgagee to BAC Home Loans Servicing, L.P. as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Crawford county Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-One Thousand One Hundred Sixty-Nine and 72/100 Dollars (\$71,169.72), including interest at 3.5% per

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on June 29, 2011. Said premises are situated in Township of South Branch,

Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Combined Parcels A and B: Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 31, Town 25 North, Range 2 West, Thence South 0 Degrees 02 Minutes West along the Section line 413.0 Feet for a Point of Beginning, thence continuing South 0 Degrees 02 Minutes West along said Section line 167.00 Feet, thence North 89 Degrees 46 Minutes West 237.0 Feet, thence North 0 Degrees 14 Minutes West 167.0 Feet, thence South 89 Degrees 46 Minutes East 237.81 Feet to the Point of Beginning, being Part of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 31, Town 25 North, Range 2 West.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: May 26, 2011 For more information, please call: ·FC X (248) 593-1302 Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-

2525 File #361562F01

-26-2-9-16 **Notice Of** Mortgage

Foreclosure Sale THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLEC-TOR ATTEMPTING TO COL-LECT A DEBT, ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE

MILITARY DUTY. ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Carol Cole, a married woman, original mortgagor(s), to Citizens Bank, Mortgagee, dated May 31, 2002, and recorded on June 5, 2002 in Liber 584 on Page 9, and assigned by mesne assignments to Chase Mortgage Company as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixty-Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-Nine and 06/100 Dollars (\$62,529.06), including interest at 6.875% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on June 29, 2011.

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Lots 22 and 23, Lakeview Park, Township of Grayling, Crawford County Michigan, according to the recorded Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 35 Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: May 26, 2011 For more information, please call: FC S (248) 593-1304 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer

31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525

-26-2-9-16

MORTGAGE SALE

File #363016F01

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. Please contact our office at the number below if you are in active military duty.

This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage. The mortgage was made by Stephanie Marie Peterson, whose address is believe to have been 6342 Atkinson Road, Grayling, Michigan 49738 to the United States of America, acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, United States Department of Agriculture now known as United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development, dated September 8, 2006, and recorded September 14, 2006 in Crawford County Register of Deeds at Liber 683, Page 139 and in which mortgage there is claimed to be due as of May 17, 2011 the sum of Ninety-Four Thousand Two Hundred Sixty-One & 43/100 (\$94,261.43) Dollars including interest at 6.2500 per annum. Interest is \$12.19 per day.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged property, or some part thereof, at public venue, at Crawford County Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan at 10:00 A.M. on JUNE 29, 2011.

Said premises are situated in the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan and are described as follows:

Lot 22, Block 2, KAREN WOODS, Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 44, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale unless the property is abandoned, in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days from the date of sale or abandonment, if abandonment occurs after sale.

DATED: May 17, 2011.

David L. Porteous Attorney for Mortgagee McCurdy, Wotila & Porteous, P.C. 4393 - 220th Avenue, P.O. Box 206 Reed City, MI 49677 TELEPHONE: (231)832.3231

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Legal Action

NOTICE

IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY IN BANKRUPTCY OR HAVE RECEIVED A DISCHARGE IN BANKRUPTCY AS TO THIS **OBLIGATION, THIS COMMUNI-**CATION IS INTENDED FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT IN VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY OR THE DISCHARGE INJUNCTION. IN SUCH CASE, PLEASE DISRE-GARD ANY PART OF THIS COMMUNICATION WHICH IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE FOREGOING. OTHERWISE, FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES US TO ADVISE YOU THAT COM-MUNICATION FROM OUR OFFICE" COULD BE INTER-PRETED AS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND THAT INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE NOW ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY OR HAVE BEEN IN THE PRIOR NINE MONTHS, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AS YOU MAYBE ENTITLED TO THE BENEFITS OF THE SER-

TY TO SAVE YOUR HOME To: Michelle B. Wakeley and Todd M. Wakeley

VICEMEMBERS' CIVIL RELIEF ACT. THIS IS AN OPPORTUNI-

217 East Loves Drive Roscommon, MI 48653 County Crawford

State law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is: Orlans Associates, P.C. Loss Mitigation Department, P.O. Box 5041, Troy, MI 48007-5041, (248) 502-1331.

You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority ("MSHDA") website or by calling MSHDA. The website address and telephone number of MSHDA is: (www.mshda.info/ counseling_search/), telephone (517) 373-8370, TTY# 1-800-382-

If you request a meeting with the servicer's designate within 14 days after the Notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the Notice was mailed to you, If you and the servicer's Designate reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the agreement.

You have the right to contact an attorney. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service is 1-800-968-0738.

Dated: June 16, 2011 Orlans Associates P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File Number: 650.1782

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the forcelosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Charles Finley, single man as his sole and separate property, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated September 19, 2003, and recorded on October 1, 2003 in Liber 654 on Page 306, and assigned by said Mortgagee to EverBank as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-One Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Nine and 42/100 Dollars (\$91,179.42), including interest at

6.5% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on July 13, 2011.

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 6, Au Sable Trails, Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan as

recorded in Liber 1, Page 59, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale. unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 9, 2011 For more information, please call: FC H (248) 593-1300 Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway,

Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-File #370514F01

-9-16-23-30 **Notice Of**

Mortgage **Foreclosure Sale**

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid

budget.

amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Gregory A. Warnock, a single man, original mortgagor(s), to Republic Bank, Mortgagee, dated June 9, 2005, and recorded on June 16, 2005 in Liber 675 on Page 914, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Twenty-Four and 97/100 Dollars (\$16,424.97), including interest at 3.25% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in-said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on July 20, 2011. Said premises are situated in

Township of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel 27-H: the South 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 27, Town 27 North, Range 4 West.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale,

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC

HEARING ON

PROPOSED

2011-2012 BUDGET

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on June 20, 2011 at 6:00

p.m. at the Grayling Elementary Conference Room,

1000 Michigan Ave., Grayling, Michigan, the Board of

Education of Crawford AuSable School District,

Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan will

hold a public hearing to consider the District's 2011-12

The Board may not adopt its proposed 2011-2012 budg-

et until after a public hearing. A copy of the proposed

2011-2012 budget, including the proposed property tax

millage rate, is available for public inspection during nor-

mal business hours at 1135 N Old 27, Grayling

The property tax millage rate proposed to

be levied to support the proposed budget

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

NOTICE

CRAWFORD COUNTY

RESIDENTS

The 2011

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS

WASTE COLLECTION

Will be held on

Saturday, June 18, 2011

9:00 am until 2:00

in the

COUNTY BUILDING

PARKING LOT

200 W. Michigan Avenue,

Grayling

WE WILL NOT ACCEPT:

COMMERCIAL WASTE, LATEX

PAINT, ELECTRONICS OR

APPLIANCES

PLEASE CALL (989) 344-3202

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS

Sandra Enos, Secretary

will be a subject of this hearing.

unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of

Dated: June 16, 2011 For more information, please call: FC F (248) 593-1313 Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway,

Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-

File #373628F01

-16-23-30-7

Friends of **Mason Tract** Annual Meeting

The Friends of the Mason Tract is a

volunteer group co-sponsored by South Branch Township and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. This group was created in order to facilitate repair and maintenance of the Mason Tract trails, fishing access points, trailheads, and parking areas. It is intended to be an informal organization with no dues or financial obligation, The Friends of the Mason Tract will conduct its annual meeting at 7:00 PM June 23, 2011. Details of the meeting are included below. All people interested in helping to preserve the beauty of the Mason Tract are urged to attend.

South Branch Township Hall 5245 M-18, Roscommon, MI

Friends of the Mason Tract Annual Meeting 7:00 PM June 23, 2011

For further information please contact Cris Jones 275-8232.

BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP

The Beaver Creek Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, July 5, 2011, at 7:00 PM at the Township Hall to hear the following:

Case # PC11-01 New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC 12555 Cingular Way, Suite 1300

Alpharetta, GA 30004

Property ID# 20-051-035-005-020-02

The petitioner is requesting a Use Variance to build a communications tower on the Higgins Lake Utility Authority property located at the corner of Old 27 and N. Higgins Lake Drive.

Creek Township Offices, 8888 S. Grayling Road, Grayling, during normal working hours.

All documents are available for review at the Beaver

Correspondence and written comments concerning the requests should be directed to the Beaver Creek Township Planning Commission at the above address.

Gerald Balmes Zoning Administrator

2010 Water Quality Report for the City of Grayling

This report covers the drinking water quality for the City of Grayling for the calendar year 2010. This information is a snapshot of the quality of the water that we provided to you in 2010. Included are details about where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and state

Your water comes from 2 groundwater wells located on the North East side of the City. In 2003 the State performed an assessment of our source water and determined Well 1 to have a low susceptibility to contamination and Well 2 to have a moderately low susceptibility. You may obtain a copy of this assessment report from City Hall 1020 City Boulevard. Grayling, Mt 49738

Contaminants and their presence in water: Drinking Water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791)

Vulnerability of sub-populations: Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno compromised persons such as persons with cancer chemothérady persons undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly. and infants can be particularly at risk from infections These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to tessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Sources of drinking water: The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. Our water comes from wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity

Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sowage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife

Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming

Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture and residential uses Radioactive contaminants, which can be

naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems Food and Drug Administration regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which provide the same protection for public health

septic systems



Water Quality Data

The table below lists all the drinking water contaminants that we detected during the 2009 calendar year. The presence of these contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this table is from testing done January 1 – December 31, 2009. The State allows us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year. All of the data is representative of the water quality, but some are more than one year old

Terms and abbreviations used below:

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are

set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

AVE. Average. N/A: not applicable. ND: not detectable at testing limit. ppb. parts per billion or micrograms per liter. ppm. parts per million or milligrams per hiter. pCi/l. piccouries per liter (a measure of radioactivity). RAA.

Action Level (AL) The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements

Samples Collected at the Wellhouse:

Regulated Chemical MCL MCLG		Our Water	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminants			
Fluorida (ppm)	1	1 4 1	10 AVE	2010	No	Added to help provent tooth decay		
Unreg Chemical C	gulated onlamina:	nts ¹	Our Water	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminants		
Sodum (ppm)			3	08/02/2010	No	Erosion of natural deposits		
Calcu	in (ppin)		36 .	08/02/2010	No	Erosion of natural deposits		
Hardness (ppm)			152 154 AVE - 158	08/02/2010	No	Erosion of natural deposits		
Magnosium (ppm)			15 - 18 AVE - 16.5	08/02/2010	No	Erosion of natural deposits		
Sulfate (ppm)			4 - 6 AVE - 5	09/02/2010	No	Frosion of natural deposits		
Chlorde			10	08/02/2010	No	Erosion of natural deposits		

Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. Monitoring helps EPA to determine where certain contaminants occur and whether it needs to regulate those contaminants.

Samples Collected in the Distribution System:

Contaminants Subject to an Action Level	Action Level	90% of Semples ≤ This Level	Sample Date	Number of Samples Above AL	Typical Source of Contaminants
Lead (ppb)	15	0 004	08/12/2009	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, Erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm)	13	0 10	08/12/2009	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems Erasion of natural deposits, Leaching from wood preservatives

Information about lead: If present, elevated tevels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The City of Grayling is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead

Microbial Contaminants	MCL	MCLG	Positive Samples	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminants	
Total Coliform Bacteria	1 positive monthly sample	0	2	Yes	Naturally present in the environment	
Fecal Coliform and E. coli	Routine and repeat samples are total coliform positive, and one is also fecal or E. coli positive.	0	0	No	Human and animal facal waste	

The State and EPA require us to test our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety. We met all the monitoring and reporting regultements for 2009.

We, the City of Grayling employees, make every effort to provide quality water to every City of Grayling water tap. We ask that all our customers help us protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of tife, and our children's future. As part of a continuing effort to protect our water sources the City of Grayling began the process of implementing a Wellhead protection program in 2003 with delineation of Well 2. Delineation for Well 1 was submitted in 2009 and a revised Wellhead Protection Area was approved by the State of Michigan. A Wellhead protection program is a planning and management approach to protect groundwater supply systems from contamination by identifying and managing potential sources of contamination that can affect water supply wells.

We invite public participation in decisions that affect drinking water quality. City Council meetings are held the second and lest Monday of each month, 7:00PM at Graying City Hell, 1020 City Boulevard, Graying, MI 49738. For more information about your water, or the contents of this report, contect Chad Backett at 969-348-2131 or send email to dpw@cityofgrayling.org. For more information about safe drinking water, visit the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency of www.epa.gov/safewater/.

We will update this report annually and will keep you informed of any problems that may occur throughout the year, as they happen. Copies are available at City Hall, 1020 City Boulevard, Grayling, MI 49738, or this report can be viewed on the internet at www.citroforavling.org. This report will not be sent to you.

NOTICE **BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS** LARGE ITEM CLEAN-UP DAY

SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 2011 8756 S. GRAYLING ROAD TRANSFER SITE 7:00A.M. - 11:00 A.M.

ITEMS ALLOWED:

Household furnishings (table, chairs, sofas, mattresses, etc.)

ITEMS NOT ALLOWED: No building materials, yard waste, hazardous liquids and materials, car parts, appliances with Freon.

SPECIAL NOTE: Tires are NOT being collected this

YOU MUST PRESENT A CURRENT DUMP STICKER PERMIT (WHITE WITH BLACK BARCODE) OR YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO DISPOSE OF REFUSE

NOTE: The Township reserves the right to refuse improper items, or items in excess. This is a costly service provided to permit holders of Beaver Creek Township and should not be misused.

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A LOOK AT OUR PAST FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE

23 Years Ago June 16, 1988

A small aircraft on route from Kalamazoo to Gaylord on a business trip Sunday, June 13, made an emergency landing on Morristown Road. The single engine Cessna, piloted by Roger Beyer of Paw Paw, was flying at 9,000 feet when the engine stalled. Beyer tried unsuccessfully to restart the engine. The plane drifted as it lost altitude until Beyer landed the airplane on the gravel road in Beaver Creek Township. The pilot and his three passengers were unin-

The following students were nominated for Grayling Middle School Student of the Month: Jessica Walters, Jessica Roy, Tammy Green, Livy Hartwick, Rachel Anderson, Angie Papendick, Melanie Ross, Cory Neilson, Ron Hough, Amy Anthony, Jamie Respecki, Chip Waite, Dan Jurkovich, Darvin Wilson, Jason Neely, Josh Cox, Joel Lord, Cora Reynolds, Casie Hartwick,

Patty Puls and Kelly Walters. Nine Shawono Youth Specialists recently completed a child care training program. They are Steve Talarico, Vern Uricek, Ron Waite, Fred Woelmer, Ralph Sheppard, Rick Chrisman, Ron Seifert, Jim McClain and Bill Campbell.

Billed as Homecoming Week, the Camp Grayling

June 21 - 26, will be one of the most action packed weeks in Grayling and Crawford County history. Jerry Reed, singer, songwriter, actor and humorist will perform Friday.

46 Years Ago June 17, 1965

Long recognized as a top canoe race in the United States and Canada, the 18th running of the 240 mile canoe marathon Grayling to Oscoda is expected to gain more interest this year as the attraction will be held at an earlier date than previous years. In recent years the race has been a two day affair with races stopping overnight at Mio. This year the race will return to its original marathon status and be nonstop from its original point at Grayling to the finish line in Oscoda.

The annual awards program took place in the Grayling High School gym on Wednesday afternoon, June 9. Members of the faculty made the presentations. Some of the award winners were: for the Crisco Homemaking Award went to Janet Hubbell and the Homemaking award pin went to Vicki Nelson. The Vocal Music Award went to Carolyn Klein and she also received the John Phillip Sousa band award and pin. The Athletic Award went to

Smith. Track letters were won by Richard Smith, Ron Lovell, John Sorenson, Mark Day, Ken Halstead, Bob Smock, Mike Corlew, Steve Englund, Dave Nethers, Tom Hatfield and D. Bailey. The cheerleading awards went to Laraine Lietz, and the senior cheerleader trophies went to Margelynn Eaton, Martel Bobenmoyer, Cheryl Smock and Mariet Scott and the National Honor Society Membership cards were presented to Margelynn Eaton, Robert Ashman, Douglas Berry, Linda Christian, Kay Jansen, Linda Klempp, Laraine Leitz, Janice Stewart, Jody Wyman, Janice Beery, Billie Bovee, Nancy Dykema, Lynn Elsey, Robert Jackson, Nancy Knibbs, Jon McLeod, LeRoy Neal and

69 Years Ago June 18, 1942

Vicki Wells.

Miss Eleanor Bugby has joined the clerical force at the Kerry and Hanson Company offices.

Miss Joyce Bugby has accepted a position at the Grayling State Savings Bank and began her duties Monday.

Leo Skinner is the new clerk at the Hanson Hardware Store.

Ernestine Stephan is employed at Sorenson's Sporting Goods store for the summer.

Dale Burns, Ernie Parsons Diamond Jubilee celebration Edward Robertson and Terry and Warder Smith accompanied Judge Esmond Stiles on a business trip to the Straits. The boys went supplied with fried chicken, cantaloupes, apples and oranges and they picnicked along the way.

A regiment of artillery is arriving in camp. They will occupy the area at the Hanson State Military reservation nearest to the administration building and pup tents will be used for shelter. The artillery range is located in Maple Forest Township in the vicinity of K.P. Lake. This regiment supports a very fine band and arrangements are being made for Mayor George Burke for one or more evening appearances in Grayling.

92 Years Ago June 19, 1919

Miss Margaret Joseph is home from Horticon, Wisc., where she closed a successful term of teaching mathematics and physics in the schools there.

Stanley Insley is home from the Detroit School of Medicine for the summer.

John Brown came home Tuesday morning from Ann Arbor for the summer. He just finished his second year

at U of M. William McNeven has had a fine new cement basement built at his home on Ionia Street.

Employees of the South Branch Ranch Co. are shearing 2,000 sheep.

Speak too harshly, and

quaking in their boots.

change; wisdom does.

Libra. A money matter

Watch your tongue,

There's so much

going in your life

now you may feel

like retreating, Don't,

Scorpio. There will

be time for that later.

The clowning around

takes a bad turn at the

office. Duck out while

you can, Sagittarius.

Exercise goals move

front and center as a

project at home wraps

A promise is kept,

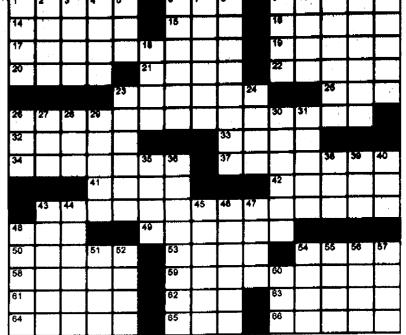
making hearts all

is clarified.

you'll have a friend

Fear doesn't bring

CROSSWORD



Across

1. Squirrel away 6. Altdorf is its capital 9. "Don't give me that!"

14. Boredom 15. McCain, e.g.: Abbr.

Percolate

17. Unable to hear nything

19. Bind 20. Spiritual, e.g. 21. Edible taro root

22. Groove

23. Fathers (Brit.) 25. "i" lid

26. Radical change 32. Dearest 33. Like, with "to"

34. Lures

37. Drained 41. Stairway to river 42. St. _ Girl

43. Readily moment" 48 49. Big roll

50. Bluish gray 53. Ashtabula's lake 54. International Civil Aviation Organization

(acronym) cotta 59. Change

61. British 62. "Sesame Street" watcher

63. Adult (2 wd) 64. Heretofore (2 wd)

66. Hose material

65. Bauxite, e.g.

Down

.1. Amerada ____ (Fortune 500

company) 2. "I'm ___ you!" (2 wd)

3. Soon, to a bard

4. Crosspiece 5. Conk out

6. Comfortable with (2 wd) 7. Bookworm

8. Casual 9, "Not only that ..." 10. Dispatched

11, Bob, e.g. 12. Director's cry

13. Depiction on the back of old pennies

18. Like Beethoven 23. Mind

24. Benefit 26. Not just "a"

27. Howard of "Happy Days" 28. Amazon ____, e.g. 29. Whinny

30. Haberdashery item (2 wd) 31. Someone from Machu Picchu

on Down the Road" 36. Eyelet creator

38. Embrace 39. Addition 40. Without professional help

(acronym) 43. But

44. Almost 45. Brat

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of Eden"

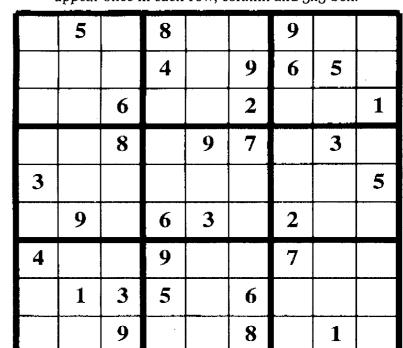
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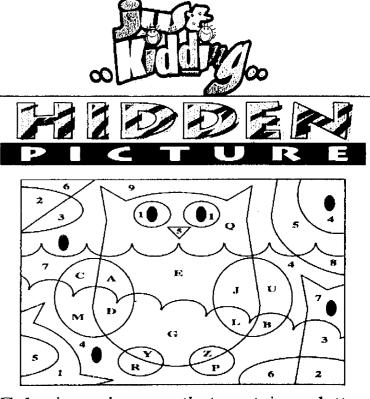
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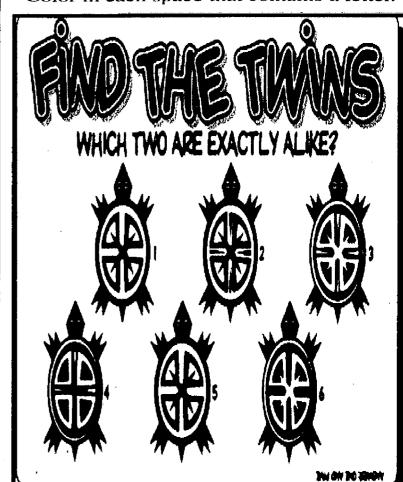
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(PUZZLE #2 Medium, Difficulty Rating 0.54) **ANSWERS IN THE CLASSIFIEDS**



Color in each space that contains a letter.



$(\mathfrak{S})(\mathfrak{S$ Week of June 12, 2011



December 22-January 19

January 20-

February 18

February 19-

March 20

One, two, three, four, ound off, Capricorn. You have kept quiet long enough. Time to let it all out. Yes, there will be shock, but for once, you will be

You're good with

nearly as good as an

acquaintance, Seek

them out for advice.

Aquarius. What they

do is not unique, but

Hang on to your hat

Pisces. A fresh face

s about to rock your

vorld, Sensible ideas

fall flat at work. Time

to think outside of the

box. A project is

approved

how they do it is.

money, but not

March 21 April 19

April 20-

May 21-

Fragedy betalls a

friend. Do what you ean to help, Aries. Old friends drop by for a chat, and before you know it, the photos come out and the trip down memory land

You hate to rain on

people's parade, but

you're in charge, and

you're going to have

to nix the idea. The

bottom line warrants

nothing but, Taurus

Cheer up, Gemini.

coming. Clotheshorses

get into an all-out war

peacemaker, or prepare

for your home to fall

Better times are

Step in and play



July 23-

August 22

August 23-

September 22



The invitation to the

arrives. Start making

plans now to attend

it. A well-deserved

promotion comes

to one you love.

Congratulate them,

Get out of a friend's

big shindig? Not on

your life, Virgo. Beg

what happens when

the shoe is on the other

foot. An offer arrives.

off, and you won't like

party of all parties









October 23-

November 21

November 22-December 21

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Open: Everyday - 10am to 3pm **ADOPT A PET**

WE'RE OVERLOADED!- The animal shelter is currently very full of animals in need of loving homes, just like yours. Help these very adoptable pets find homes, adopt today! Visit our website for more information.



Jonesie

Jonesie is a handsome 4 year old Brittany. He is sweet and active and easy to get along with. This guy enjoys attention and does okay with other dogs. He will need some work on BASIC commands but has a nice temperament. Jonesie has been neutered, vaccinated and micro chipped.

Visit us at: <u>www.ausablevalleyanimalshelter.org</u> AuSable Valley Animal Shelter

5786 Fairground Lane, Grayling Use the entrance to the Crawford County Fairgrounds After hour appointments available. Call (989) 348-4117 For more pets or more information, visit our website www.ascc.petfinder.com

WEATHER 1 8 Y Last Week Extended Forecast (Courtesy of the Weather.com) inches 0.11 90 53 High High 78 High High High 78 81 89 Low Low Low Low 51 60 Cloudy

RECIPE OF THE WEEK



PORK AND PINEAPPLE **KABOBS**

Ingredients:

1/2 cup BBQ Sauce 2 Tosp. Dijon mustard 1 Tosp. finely chopped fresh rosemary

1 lb. boneless park chaps, aut into 1-inch

tor before grilling as directed.

1 cup fresh pineapple chunks (1 inch) 1 cup green pepper squares (1 inch) 1/2 cup red onion chunks (1 inch)

Directions:

MIX first 3 ingredients. Reserve 1/4 cup sauce for later use. Pour remaining sauce over chops in shallow dish; turn chops over to coat both sides of each. Refrigerate 15 min. to marinate.

meat from marinade; discard marinade. Thread meat onto 8 skewers alternately with pineapple, peppers and onions. GRILL 12 to 14 min. or until meat is done, turn-

HEAT barbecue to medium-high heat. Remove

Substitute 1/2 tsp. dried rosemary leaves for the fresh rosemary. Meat can be marinated up to 24 hours in refrigera-

ing occasionally and brushing with reserved

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2 For Rent

1 Real Estate

HOUSE FOR SALE 3 bed, 1 bath, full basement, new carpet, great neighborhood, 2 miles from town, \$50,000. 989-348-9703. (-16/1)

NICE 3 - 4 BEDROOM ranch on a beautiful 20 acres. Property also includes a guest house/rental. Go www.graylinghouseforsale.wee bly.com for more details or call 989-344-8046. (-16-23-30-7-14-21-28/1)

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MANISTEE CLUB HWY. M-72 2 acres, price reduced. Between Kalkaska Grayling. Golfing, fishing, snowmobile trails, hunting, etc. nearby. Electric/phone lines in. Phone 989-727-9129, (-16/1)

HOUSE FOR SALE 2-3 bedrooms, 2 full baths. 586-446-0004, 586-713-7500. 2/8/10/tf/1)

HOUSE FOR SALE 108 Wood Leaf Drive, 3 bedroom, 2 full baths, 2 car garage. Large yard, all chain link fenced. Appliances included, washer/dryer also. \$74,000. Call 989-344-0344, 989-390-0344. (LR7/21/11/1)

2. For Rent

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COZY CABIN Grayling area 2 B/R, 1 Bath, gas FP, A/C in L/R, appliances, carport, 2 propane heat sheds, \$550/Month - plus security extra for pets. Call Jan 419-367-2294 (-16-23-30-7/2)

1. Real Estate



Recently Foreclosed, Special Financing Available, Any Credit,

> Any Income 3BD, 1BTH,

1410 Sq. Ft., located at 208 Standard Street,

Houghton Lake, \$29,900.

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AUCTION

VIKING VILLAGE CONDO very nice 2 bedroom, 2 bath, approximately 1 mile west of

2 For Rent

Grayling. Quiet community. Central air, forced air heat, natural gas, electric stove, dishwasher, fireplace, refrigerator, washer, dryer, 2 car garage, lawn care, snow removal, garbage pickup. Yearly lease. Call Bob at 348-6025, 352-229-1715. (-16-23-30/2)

LAKE **MARGRETHE** HOUSE with lake access, 3BR 1.5BA, full basement w/appliances, central air, attached garage and deck. \$850, 231-342-8046. (-9-16/2)

MONTHLY HOME RENTALS near Grayling, Houghton Lake, Roscommon and Higgins Lake. 2 and 3 bedroom. Higgins North Property Services, 989-821-3434. (-1/13/11/(/2)

FOR RENT VERY NICE clean, two bedroom duplexes, totally remodeled. Laundry hookup, gas, storage, lawncare, non smoking. \$500 plus utilities, deposit, rental and employment references. 8110, 8114 Insley Ave. Margrethe Blvd.) Phone 348-2178. (-6/2/11/tf/2)

COMMERCIAL BUILDING FOR RENT 6251 M-72 West, 1/2 mile from city. Large parking lot, 840 sq. ft., suitable for office, retail, beauty shop, \$550 month. 989-348- 4716. (-4/28/11/(/2)

FOR RENT COUNTRY HOME on 10 acres, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, basement, garage, washer & dryer included. \$700 per month. Credit and background check. 248-930-2138. (-16-23/2)

ARBOR COURT in Grayling is accepting applications for 1 & 2 bdr. Rent is based on 30% of the adjusted gross income. For more information call Pam at 989-732-6237 or pick up application at 400 Madsen Street. Barrier Free Units available. This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer. TDD 1-800-649-3777. (-8/12/10/tf/2)

1. Real Estate

Recently Foreclosed, Special Financing Available, Any Credit, Any Income

3BD, 1BTH, 840 Sq. Ft., located at, 600 Madsen St.,

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MENTS is now accepting applications for availability in June. Very nice two bedroom, two bath apartments approximately one mile west of Grayling off M-72. Units in this quiet mature community include central air conditioning, attached garage, paved lighted streets and driveways, stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, washer and dryer. Lawn care, snow removal, and garbage pickup included in the annual lease. Contact Herb Olson, at 989 348-9456, for more information. (-5/5/11/tf/2)

FOR RENT 3 bedroom 2 bath, 2 car garage, Lake Margrethe, lake view, lake access. Partially furnished home, 1 year lease. \$700 per month/with one month security deposit, no pets. Phone 248-701-2026 information and/or viewing appt. (-26-2-9-16-

RIVER FRONT 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished, second story apartment in downtown Grayling. Includes water, lawn maintenance, snow plowing. No pets, no smoking. \$950/month. 989-370-1290. (-3/10/11/((/2)

FOR RENT 1 BEDROOM, utilities paid, no pets. \$550 plus deposit. Please call 989-348-2466 or 989-390-5425. (-6/9/11/0/2)

FOR RENT SINGLE BED-ROOM house \$425 per month plus security deposit and utilities. 108 Milltown Court. 989-430-7497. (-16-23/2)

3. Employment

GRAYLING **COOP** PRESCHOOL seeking a teacher's assistant for the 2011-12 school year. Approx 20 hours per week. Email resumes inquiries graylingcoop@hotmail.com. (-16-23/3)

2. For Rent

Furnished Office Space for Lease 307 Huron, Suite B. 316 Sq. Ft. Available July 1st 2011. \$400 per month plus utilities.

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Call 231-536-3411

Whispering Pines Apartments is currently accepting applications for 1-and 2-bedroom apartments. We are accepting applications for Seniors 62 years of age and older and Handicap/Disabled persons regardless of age. Income-based rent is available. Apartments feature walk-in closets, air conditioning and open living areas. Rent includes heat, domestic hot water and more For more information, or to tour the property, please call (989)344-0020.

Equal Housing Opportunity.
TDD 1-800-649-3777

Grayling Pines Apartments

Grayling Pines Apartments currently accepting applications for 1-and 2apartments. bedroom rent Income-based available. Apartments feature walk-in closets, air conditioning and open living areas and private patios/ balconies. Rent includes heat, domestic hot water and more. For more information, or to tour the property, please call (989)344-0020. Equal Housing Opportunity. 649-3777

3 Employment

HIGH PAYING CAREERS for men and women in transportation. Contact Liberty Truck Driving School. 888-602-5966, www.libertytruckdrivingschool.com. (-3-10-17-24-31-7-14-21-28-5 -12-19-26-2-9-16-23-30/3)

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AUSABLE FREE CLINIC, **INC.** (AFCI) is seeking to fill the executive director position. AFCI is a nonprofit, 501(e) 3 organization, located in Grayling, providing health services to uninsured residents of Crawford, Roscommon, Oscoda and Montmorency counties. RN licensed in the state of Michigan required, BSN required, master's degree preferred. Must have strong communication skills and computer skills. Coordinates clinic Medication operations, Assistance Program and supervises AFCI personnel and volunteers. Works directly with AFCI Board of Directors implementing board policy decisions. 64 hours per pay period, benefits available. Qualified candidates may apply online at http://www.mercygrayling.com. We are an equal opportunity employer. (-

2. For Rent

Cobble Creek II **Apartments**

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> For affordable housing call 989-348-3150

This institution is an Equal Opportunity Provider, Equal Housing Opportunity.

5. TDD# (800) 649-3777 🚖

3. Employment

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3 Employment

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D. HAWES / Driver's Training: Northern Driving School will be offering classes year-round in Grayling and surrounding areas. The only local driving school in Crawford and Roscommon counties. Segment 1 \$275, Segment II \$40, 989-344-2470. (05/22/08tf/4)

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Job Requirements:

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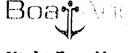
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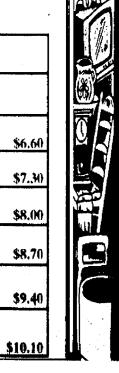
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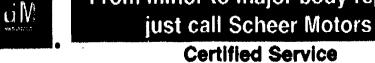
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Lynda Dast, left, and Steve Seager, right, approach the finish line during the 2011 Hanson Hills Challenge Trail Run on June 4.

# Runners compete in 5-mile race at **Hanson Hills**

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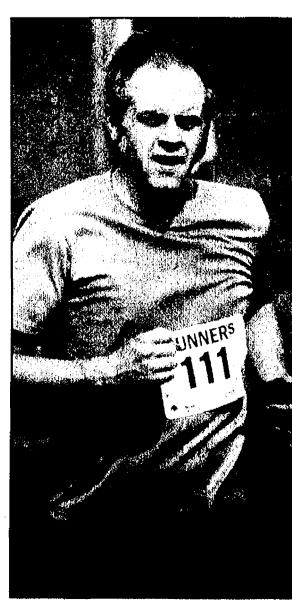
GRA's next race is the GRA 10K, an event that starts and ends at the Grayling Middle School during the AuSable River Festival in July. The course includes mostly paved city and county roads. The race will begin at 9 a.m. on Saturday, July 30. Cost to participate is \$20. Registration forms are available on the Internet at http://www.hansonhills.org/Programs_and_Events.html.





Ryan Harris, left, and Kim Watson, right, compete in the Hanson Hills Challenge Trail Run.



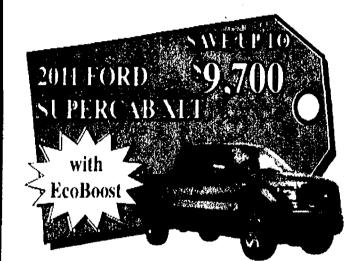


Tina Mickelson, left, and Todd Moore, right, finish the five-mile race at Hanson Hills on June 4.

















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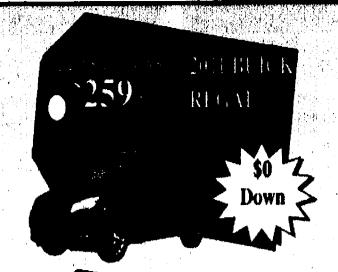
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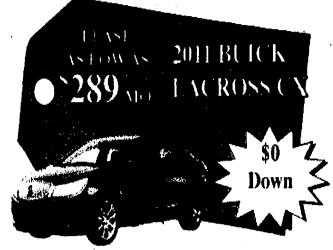
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2008 Ford F150 4x4 119,988



2008 Ford Taurus SEL 14.988



2003 Ford F150 4x4 ¹12,988



2005 Ford Explorer XLT 110,500



2010 Ford F150 Super Crew XLT \$29,900



2009 Ford Flex SEL AWD \$24,988



2008 Jeep Liberty 4x4 ¹16,888



2008 Chevy Impala LT 2 to choose from \$16,998

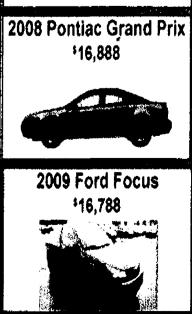


2008 Pontiac G6

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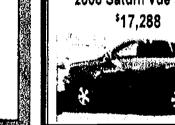
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2004 Chevy Silverado 11,199



2008 GMC Truck reg cab long box \$12,988



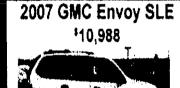
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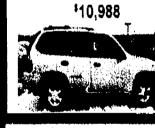


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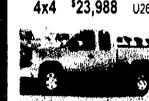


2008 Pontiac Grand Pix 116,699





2008 GMC Sierra Ext. Cab 4x4 \$23,988 U2655



2006 Pontiac Montana ³11,498



2007 Buick Rendezvous



2007 Pontiac G6



2008 BMW Z4 Convertible only 7,400 miles 128,988



2007 Chevy impala LT 112,988



1999 GMC Truck

reg cab 4x4 \$2,988

2009 Pontiac Vibe

14,888

2007 Chevy Impala LS

14,788

2008 Buick Enclave CX

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2008 Saturn Aura XE

113,688

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